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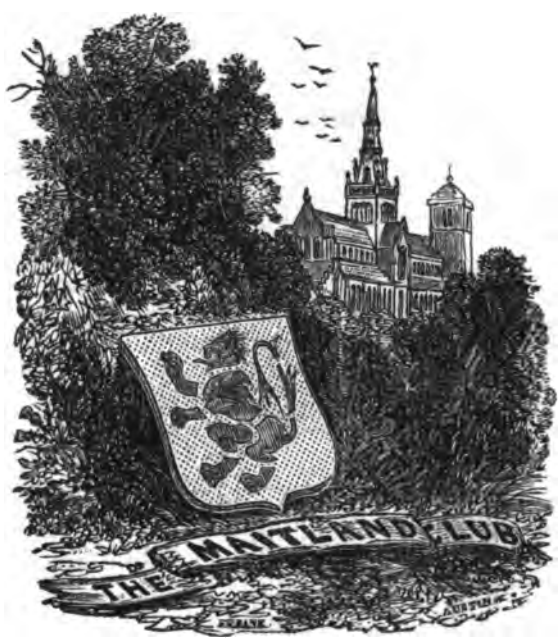

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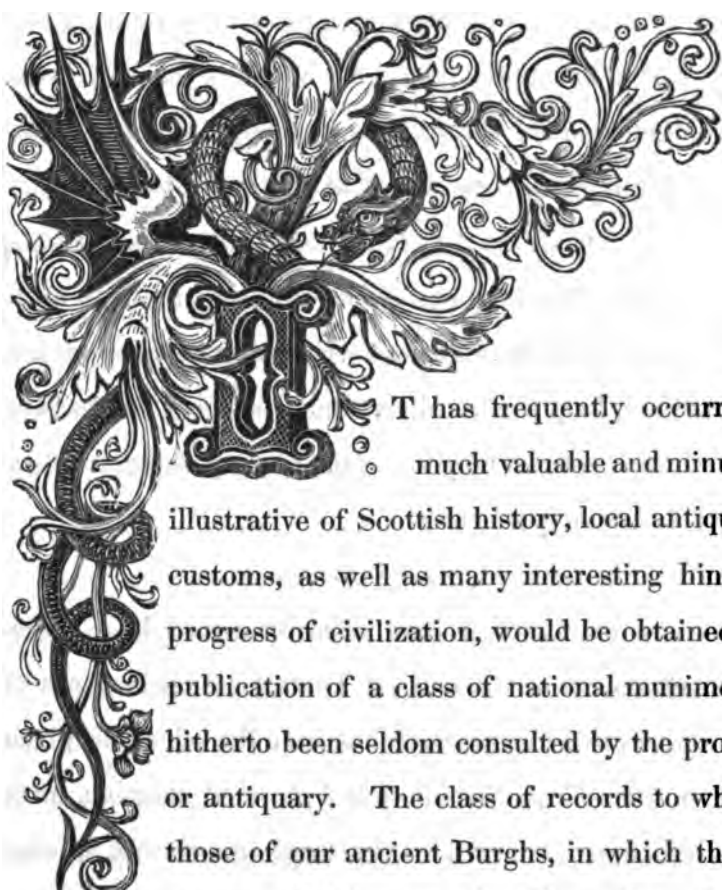

IT has frequently occurred to me, that much valuable and minute information, illustrative of Scottish history, local antiquities, manners, customs, as well as many interesting hints regarding the progress of civilization, would be obtained by the partial publication of a class of national muniments which have hitherto been seldom consulted by the professed historian or antiquary. The class of records to which I refer, are those of our ancient Burghs, in which the acts and ordinances of their respective Town Councils, as well as the

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judicial procedure of their Burgal Courts, are preserved. In these we frequently find various minute details of the passing occurrences of the day, presenting us with a complete and very lively picture of the civic economy and polity of these early and important communities. Lawyers and historians have alike complained of the doubt and obscurity which rest over the history and constitutions of our Royal Burghs, and that so little is comparatively known of the original privileges and burdens accompanying each erection. From the delapidation which has taken place of the more ancient documents, which could alone shed a strong and steady light upon such investigation, it is, perhaps, vain to hope that this subject can ever be thoroughly elucidated; but it is a matter of some gratulation, that in the more recent records, there are occasional allusions made to antecedent events, and the contents of ancient writings, no longer extant, which, when combined, help the inquirer wonderfully out in forming something like accurate notions respecting the leading features in the early history of these municipal bodies.

In the opinion now expressed, I have been confirmed by a somewhat laborious examination of the earliest Town Council Records of this City. The fruit of this examination has been the selections given in the following sheets, comprising all that I deemed valuable, or of general interest, which is contained in the large manuscript volume to be afterwards described. If these selections should serve no other

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purpose than merely directing the attention of others to this unbeaten field of inquiry, and, perhaps, of encouraging them to prosecute it with more success, and upon a more enlarged scale than my limited leisure can now enable me to do, my utmost ambition will be gratified. For I am satisfied, that a slight inspection of the contents of these sheets, amply justifies the importance which I am inclined to attach to this neglected branch of our national antiquities; and, were similar selections made, with due discrimination and judgment, from the records of the other Royal Burghs, and Burghs of Regality, scattered over Scotland, a fund of curious and recondite matter would be amassed, the value of which every person imbued with a taste for archaiological pursuits can easily appreciate. Such a collection made on a scale of adequate extent, would form no unfitting supplement to the labours of the Parliamentary Commissioners upon the ancient public records of the kingdom; while in various minute and interesting particulars they would mutually illustrate each other.

It is not saying too much for these Records, that they contain a treasury of antique information, most instructive, novel, and amusing, and which cannot fail, in this age of inquiry, to be highly interesting. As illustrative of the general history of the country, they supply notices of many isolated and curious facts; and, with regard to our ancient towns and burghs, they afford a faithful and connected narrative of the causes which led to their progressive increase or decay, while they

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exhibit a highly finished picture of national character in the manners of the day. Although not previously adopted as the subject of publication, and, indeed, too much disregarded by modern inquirers, their importance to the historian, the lawyer, philologist, and antiquary, cannot, consistently with justice, be overlooked. To the historian, they acquire importance, inasmuch as they sometimes detail, or allude to, valuable facts, connected with the general affairs of the kingdom, either indifferently understood by, or entirely unknown to, our most industrious and pains-taking writers.

In the eyes of the lawyer they ought also to be of much value, for we know not any source from which he could obtain so clear an insight into the civic government of our ancient towns, as from these striking delineations of the despotic and patriarchal rule which obtained in these communities. Their modes of administering justice, and punishing minor offences, are fully detailed in these records; while, as illustrative of uncertain and disputed rights of corporations and individuals, they are often of great use; nor are they of less value in settling points of right and practice, in some cases, where other evidence has failed.

Preserving, as they do, the colloquial language of the time in which they were written, they are likewise of considerable advantage in facilitating the labours of the philologist. Some singular words

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occur in the following sheets which we have seen nowhere else, and the exact meaning of which it has baffled us to discover. In the foot-notes a few of these are explained; but the diligent reader will perceive that many have been left unnoticed, simply because their signification was dubious, and their etymon could not be traced.

To the antiquary, if a genealogist, they afford many important hints, in framing the history of families and individuals: and to those curious in local history, or who have pleasure in tracing the domestic habits and manners, and surveying the aspect of society as known to their forefathers, they present a more accurate and minute portrait of what our fathers truly were, than any species of history or tradition has conveyed, and bring us, as it were, into a closer, and, if we may be allowed the expression, into a sort of living contact with the men, manners, and opinions of bypast centuries.

That this is no exaggerated view of the importance of preserving and publishing excerpts from those burgal muniments, the selections now submitted to the MAITLAND CLUB, embracing but a very limited period of time, will, it is believed, establish the fact, that those of Glasgow are not without interest of a very peculiar character; and the same may be stated with regard to those of other towns, were they diligently sought out and transcribed.

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It may be necessary now to mention, that the materials of the present volume are faithful and authentic transcripts from an immense folio manuscript, consisting of five hundred and sixty pages, preserved in the archives of the City of Glasgow. This manuscript contains the whole transactions of the Magistrates and Town Council of the City: the Elections of their Magistrates and other office-bearers, from the Lord Provost down to the common Menstral, the Cowherd, and the Pindar; the Inquisitions held by the Outlandemers at the Courts of Perambulation, for fixing the marches and boundaries of the Burgh; the Charge and Discharge, and Exoneration, of the Treasurer; and the Judicial proceedings of the Burgh Court of Glasgow, from the year 1573 till 1581. The manuscript is in excellent preservation, and has been transcribed, with much care, upon strong Lombardy paper, probably a portion of the stationery which belonged to the Church and Chapter of Glasgow at the Reformation.

Earlier volumes were, about the middle of the last century, in existence, and though these have disappeared, it is not improbable that some portion of them may yet be recovered. Gibson, in his history of Glasgow, appears to have had access to some not now known, for he quotes entries as early as the year 1566, a period so pregnant with momentous changes in Church and State, that their loss now cannot be too much deplored. Prior to the Reformation of Religion,

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the muniments of this description are, from all that I can learn, exceedingly scanty in any part of Scotland, and even subsequent to that period, in some Burghs, they have not been preserved with that care which would have been desirable. So far as regards this City, it is not improbable that, from the close connexion between the Burgh and the Archbishop of Glasgow, as its feudal superior, the earlier volumes of its municipal records were deposited along with those of the See, and when the latter were conveyed by Archbishop Beaton to France, those of the city may have shared the same fate.

With the exception of a few chasms afterwards indicated, there is, from the date of this volume till the present day, a regular series of these curious memorials of early times extant, and the care with which they have been preserved, certainly honourably distinguishes this City among the Royal Burghs of Scotland.

The following is a statement of the present state of these Records: As already observed, the first volume commences in 1573, and terminates in 1581. The next begins in 1588, and ends in 1596, thus leaving a space of seven years unaccounted for. Another space occurs from the latter date till 1609; subsequently from 1614 till 1623; and again from 1630 till 1636. With the exception of the volume containing the Minutes of 1647 till 1654, which, it is believed, will be

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recovered, the Records are complete from 1636 till the present time, and form fifty-two volumes foolscap folio.

In making the following transcripts from the earliest volume above-mentioned, I have been principally guided by the wish, to present to the reader, as nearly as possible, a correct view of the multifarious matters it contains; while, on the other hand, the intrinsic importance of some of the articles, as peculiarly calculated to illustrate points of general and local history, graphic pictures of ancient manners, and sketches of the mode in which justice was administered by our ancestors, it is hoped, has not been overlooked. To a much greater bulk the volume might have been swelled; but in that case a redundancy of identical incidents, and similar acts, would have been accumulated, which, while it detracted from the interest of the work, would not, in any shape, have added to its value. A simple reference to the varied contents of the volume, and a comparison between these and the manuscript from which they have been selected, will not only sanction the opinion now expressed, but establish the fidelity with which, both in substance and form, these extracts have been made.

It would be almost endless, as it would be next to an act of supererogation, were I to particularise the numerous interesting facts and allusions which occur in the following sheets. Of one thing all must

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be aware, that in them many matters connected with the early history of this City are detailed, which could not have been obtained from any other source. Some of the rights and privileges of its Corporations, the modes of electing the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council, and several not unimportant changes in the constitution of the Burgh, are also explained.

In the reign of James the Third, anno 1469, the Act was passed, abolishing the popular election of Provost and Magistrates in the different Burghs, and vesting the power in the Old Council to choose the New, and these two, combined, to appoint the Magistrates and other officers. The necessity of this Act being passed, is explained by the Act itself; and, although Pinkerton may designate it "the first germ of despotism, ill understood," * no person, except he be tinctured with his superabundant partizanship, can, under a consideration of all the circumstances of society at that period, maintain that it was uncalled for, or that in its operation it was injurious to the general interest of the communities, for whose better government it was passed.

Waiving, however, this question, which I have only alluded to for the purpose of mentioning, that in these transcripts we may still descry some traces of the more popular mode of election at the Annual Head Court, In the case of the Town's "Menstrales," At page 14,

* History of Scotland, Vol. I., p. 271.

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we find the following entry: "The Menstrales continewit quhill the Symerhill, quhen the *haill communitie sal be present to geve thair votis thairanent*," and, accordingly, on the 20th of June, 1574, it is recorded that Archibald Bordland and Robert Duncane are "admittit to be Menstrales to the Towne for this instant yeire, and to haif fra ilk freman allenerlie, but meyt, twa schillings money at the leist, wt. the mair at the gevar's pleasor."

Since the Burgh has discontinued the services of its Minstrales, the shadow of popular election has also disappeared. That the remembrance, however, of their ancient privileges had not entirely gone, we think is obvious from the formal, and somewhat pathetic, supplication made by the community against the "deling" forth of the common muir, "to the great dammage of us, the haill towne, and our eftir cumeris," inasmuch as the same document sets forth, that these common lands were required for the "pasturing of guddis for the sustening of or. babies." * The deliverance also upon this supplication and protest, or rather statute, passed in consequence of it, after "digest advisement," is by "the saidis provest, baillies, counsale, deakonis of the haill craftis, and maist part of the comunitie." While the Burgesses are bewailing the spoliation, or misappropriation of their alleged common property, we find that a friend of Archbishop Beaton, in the following letter to that distinguished ecclesiastic, presents us with a striking view of the rapacity for which the prevailing factions of that

* P. 56.

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period were notorious, in the universal scramble for the possession of Church lands:

"As for novellis," says the honest correspondent of the expatriated Prelate, "I dar no^{t} wryte to youre L., be resoun I was swa evill handlit be the Quenis M$^{tie.}$ and hir counsall for the tellin of the treuth, the q$^{lk.}$ is cum to pas everie word sen the deceis of the Kingis M$^{tie.}$ of the q$^{lk.}$ I man beir w^{t} In lyk maner, youre L. may understand, albeit it be Johne Dolouris teddens, my Lord of Glencarne, gat fra my Lord Regent youre L. escheit. Quhairfoire youre L. Chalmerlane hes componit w^{t} my Lord of Glencarne and payit the selfe sowme, Conforme to thair agriance. In lyk maner youre L. hes till understand, in cais it be no^{t} yitt cum to youre L. eiris, al the borrow muir of Glasg$^{w.}$ on the southe syde of the towne, and als Garngad hill on the north part of the towne, ar distribuit be provest, bailies, and commounitie of the towne, to the inhabitaris thairof, everie ane hes awin portioun, conforme to hes degrie, and hes revin it oute and manuris it this yeir instantlie; bot I wald haif na parte thairof, q$^{lk.}$ it pleis God and youre L. to make my parte, be resoun I knew thai hade na powar to deill youre L. landis, w^{t}oute sum consente of youre L., or sum utheris in youre L. name." *

* From a collection of important historical documents in the possession of Andrew MacGeorge, Esq., a Member of the MAITLAND CLUB.

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It thus appears, that the "communitie" of the City, who were so anxious for the interests of their aftercomers, and the sustentation of their own babes, were, in fact, quarrelling among themselves about the appropriation of property to which they had no title, or certainly one of a very questionable character.

Reverting to the proceedings of the Annual Court, or meeting of the inhabitants and freemen at the Symerhill, it is to be observed that the enactments then and there passed by the "haill communitie," appear to have required the consent of the Provost before they became valid. This is established by the entry, page 57, where it is added, after some regulations are agreed to, that "thir to be resonit befoir the Provest, and gif he consentis thairto, to be concludit and endit utherwayis nocht."

In the proceedings of the Burgh Court for the trial of civil and criminal causes, there are points which must interest not merely the professional man, but the general reader. Some light is thrown on the trial by Jury; and, it is believed, that distinct traces of the approximation to the system of England, even in civil causes, can be discerned. In the number of those who passed upon the inquest, there seems to have been a great latitude exercised, although it would appear from the earliest notice extant upon this subject, in reference

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to Glasgow, the precise number was twelve,* agreeing, as that does, with the practice of almost all the Teutonic nations.

In the example, however, afforded to us in the manuscript from which the present volume is compiled, there does not appear to have been any fixed rule followed, and, from our inspection of other records of a similar kind in other Burghs, so far as the number of the inquest is concerned, the same laxity and capriciousness has apparently obtained. The criminal causes tried in the Courts of the Burgh, resemble, in their general features, that class of minor offences which, in the present times, are discussed before the Police Magistrate. And an idea of the Police of these times, and of the frequent breaches of the peace in the streets at fairs or markets, when every citizen was a soldier, and wore a whingar, or sword, at his thigh, may be formed from perusing the Statute, page 18, which ordains that every boothholder shall have in readiness within his booth, "ane halbert, Jak, and steilbonnet, for eschewing," as the same ordinance observes, "sick inconvenients that may happin." No wonder that, with such a turbulent populace, the Scottish Parliament found it necessary to abridge the freedom of the denizens of these Royal Corporations.

* Carta Roberti de Mythyngby Venditione terre suæ Magistro Reginaldo de Trewyn Archideacono Glasgw. *Cart. Glasguensis, p.* 244.

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Several of the offences rise to something like lese majesty, especially where the "greit and haynous crime" is committed, of offering violence, by word or deed, to the sacred character or person of "ane Bailie," or other municipal dignitary. In these cases we find the laws against such "crying iniquities" are uniformly most rigorously enforced, and the delinquent, besides having his freedom cried down, himself mulcted in pecuniary damages, and being subjected to incarceration, and forced to make a palinode on his bended knees, and thereafter banished the town, is compelled, in order to avert a severer punishment by "his awin confessioun," to consent, should he ever venture, without permission of the insulted Magistracy, to appear within the limits and liberties of the Burgh, to lose his "rycht hand," or even his "life but dome."

An instance of the assumption of the powers of a Judge Ordinary by the Deacon of the Smiths, we have at page 19, for the repression of which illegal assumption on the part of the crafts, it required, we believe, an Act of Parliament.

A pleasing picture of the taste and piety of our ancestors, and a beautiful contrast to the stern and unrelenting desire of the early Reformers to efface every vestige of the ecclesiastical edifices then erected, are exhibited to us in the zeal shown by the Magistrates, Deacons of the craft, and divers other men of repute of the town,

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for that "greit ornament," the High Church, which, as the record describes it, "had cum to greit dekaye and ruyne, throt taking awaye of the leid, sklait, and wther gray thairof, in this trublus tyme bygane," in the voluntary imposition of a tax for its reparation. Such men could never, as has been alleged, have consented to gratify the iconoclastic spleen of Melville, or the rapacity of the lay lords, to whom the work of desecration and spoliation was committed, and who, with their excited mobs and feudal retainers, brought such unhallowed destruction upon the ecclesiastical monuments of Scotland. *

While upon this subject, I may mention, that the intimate connexion betwixt the See and the City, induced me to procure casts of as many of the Seals which belonged to either one or other, of an early date, as are now extant, sets of which I shall be happy to present to such Members of the Club as may deem them of value. A List of those Seals, with the descriptions given of them in the Chartulary

* Four Views, illustrative of the Cathedral, are inserted in this Volume. 1st. The Interior of the Choir, previous to the Reformation. 2d. The Crypt,—of which, see Rickman's Styles of English Architecture, and, when occupied as a Church, Sir Walter Scott's Novel of Rob Roy. 3d. From the southwest, in perspective, of the exterior of the Archiepiscopal Palace; and, 4th, From the northwest, exhibiting the interior of the Castle and Palace, as destroyed at the abolition of Episcopacy in Scotland, and now the site of the Infirmary. It affords me much pleasure to add, that my friend, Archibald MacLellan, Esq., Convener of the Trades' House of this City, has in the Press a dissertation on the peculiar style of the Gothic architecture of the Cathedral, its present condition, and a prospective plan for its improvement and renovation, with very important notices relative to the amelioration of the ancient ecclesiastical district of Glasgow.

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of Glasgow, and a lithographic sketch, exhibiting the size of each, and legend and date, precedes the Appendix.

Connected too, as the City has been, not merely with the Archbishopric, but also with the University, it has been deemed no inappropriate addition to the Volume, to give, in the Supplement, the grant made to the College of the property which fell to the share of the City at the overthrow of the Popish Church, and which was confirmed by an Act of the Parliament of Scotland, dated January 26, 1572, in the following terms:

"The thre estaits, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, for the incress and help of gud letters, and the instruction of the youth, quhairthrow thay may be able to serve in the Kirk of God, and commounweill of this realme in tyme cuming, be the tenor of this present act, Ratifies, appreivis, and for his Hieness and his successors, perpetuallie confirms the Charter, Foundatioun, and infeftment, and all pointis, articles, conditiounis, clauses, and circumstances thairof, maid and gevin be the provost, baillies, counsall, and communitie of the Citie and Burgh of Glasgw, to the College or Pedagog of Glasgw, regents and students resident thairin, nominat in the said foundatioun, to thair honest and commodious sustentation; Of all and sindrie, the landis, tenementis, howsis, biggingis, kirkis, chapels, yards, orchardis, croftis, annuel-rentis, fructes, dewties, proffeitis, and emoluments,

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mailes, obite-silver, and anniversaries quhatsomever; quhilkis be onie manner of way perteinit, or are knawn to pertene to quhatsomever chappelis, alterages, prebendaries, foundit in quhatsomever kirk or college, within the said Citie of Glasgw, or of the places of all the Freiris of the same Citie: Togidder with all and sindrie landis, howses, tenements, and annuellrentis of quhatsomever landis, howses, and tenementis within the said Citie of Glasgw, or without the samyne perteining and belanging to the saidis, Provest, Baillies, Counsall, and communitie, or usit to be upliftit and payit, Efter the form and tenor of the infeftment maid and gevin to tham thairupon be the Queen Moder to our sovereane Lord in hir reigne, and conforme to the said Fundation."

The Chancellor and Professors of the University had been dispersed, and its funds alienated at the Reformation; this endowment, therefore, is the more honourable to the City, that, at such a period, it devoted its revenues for the noble purpose of renovating an institution destined to foster and protect letters, and to facilitate the instruction of youth. In reference to education, there will also be found, in the volume, some notices regarding the "Grammar Scule," and the establishment of a "Sang Scule," which those who feel an interest in tracing the history of public education in Scotland can amply appreciate.

Not a few of the entries of petty litigations and executories before

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the Courts of the Burgh, throw light on the dresses, weapons, furniture, and domestic habits of the times; the prices of provisions, and the home trade and commerce of the country, such as they then were. Not a few of them exhibit choice specimens of colloquial abuse, and the Magistrates seem to have held no sinecure in their laudable attempts to control the turbulent tongues of the gentler sex.

Respecting the cleanliness of the City, and the state of public health, at that period, the contents of the present volume afford no very inviting view. Leprosy appears to have been so common, that at the head courts a regular list of those afflicted with this loathsome disease was delivered to the Magistrates, who ordered the sick to an hospital specially set apart for their reception. When butchers slew cattle on the streets, and the proprietors or tenants of houses had a dungstead at their very thresholds, the prevalence of pest and of other diseases is not to be wondered at. In framing the statutes and ordinances for the better government of their own community, and for the enforcement of general cleanliness, the Provost, Baillies, and Council, seem to have shown no little legislative sagacity. Of these civic ordinances various specimens are given; but among the most important, perhaps, may be ranked the regulations which were framed at the visitation of the Plague, in 1574. Our Boards of Health, at the present day, under the afflicting dispensation of Cholera, have not, it is believed, ever drawn up a more judicious, precise, and comprehensive body of instructions and

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orders, than was done to avert, or mitigate, a similar calamity nearly three hundred years ago.

In the Treasurer's accounts, from which copious excerpts are taken, it may be remarked, that the full revenue of the Community is stated, without any concealment or reservation, and with equal candour the various items of its expenditure are detailed. It is true, the Magistrates, and "divers honest men," occasionally treat themselves to a dejeune; but this is after the completion of some public business, tending to the honour or profit of the commonweal. Indeed, the class of disbursements which, strictly speaking, are the least legal, the most rigid corrector of abuses could not well object to. I allude to the numerous benevolencies bestowed upon poor scholars to buy them a suit of clothes, or books, to enable them to prosecute their studies; the sums voted to shipwrecked mariners,—to ruined merchants, who had lost their horses by some untoward accident, or to the widows and children of those Burgesses whom unforeseen calamities had plunged into abject want. Not a little of the public funds is sometimes devoted to ransom unfortunate Burgesses from captivity among the Turks, while considerable sums are expended in providing medical assistance for those afflicted with physical infirmities, or who have met with severe bodily injuries. This exhibits a kind and paternal sympathy with the sufferings of the poorer or unfortunate classes of the community, exceedingly grateful, to every liberal and humane mind, and

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leads one to regard, with something more than respect, that social fabric of municipal government which the wisdom of our ancestors reared and consolidated with so much care.

In the accounts of the Treasurer also much curious matter may be elicited regarding the pastimes and sports of the people; the divers disbursements for "futballis" are not unworthy of notice. We also meet with payment made to a piper, called "Ryall Dayis," and to "a fule with a treyn sword," as well as to "certane yonge men of the toun to thair playing"—probably bearing a part in some masque or public pageant. The care bestowed on the decorement of the Town's "Menstrales" is evinced in the entry of the purchase of blue cloth to make two coats for them, with as much "cramosie" as would serve for containing the town's arms thereon. Nevertheless, though this care was shown for the recognized Minstrales of the Burgh, the profession had thus early fallen into disrepute; for in the ordinance anent the Pest, "pyparis, fidleris, and minstrales" are unceremoniously classed together as vagabonds, and threatened with severe penalties, should they venture to enter the City, in contravention of the Act.

Many other curious notices occur, illustrative of social manners, and national peculiarities; but I must content myself with directing attention to one, namely, the "propynes" given by the Magistrates to their friends and illustrious visitors. It will excite astonishment,

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the enormous quantity of wine "propyned" to my Lord Provost, to the Earl of Argyle and his Lady, the Lords Lennox, Lyndsay, Rothes, Angus, Arbroath, Boyd, Glamis, and other distinguished Noble Lords and Ladies, for their good offices, patronage, or protection.

These cursory remarks I must now bring to a close; and, in doing so, I feel myself particularly called upon to notice the beneficial assistance I derived, in the progress of the sheets of this volume through the Press, from William Motherwell, and James Hill, Esquires, Members of the MAITLAND CLUB.

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JOHN SMITH, YGST.

GLASGOW, SEPTEMBER, 1832.

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CURIA CAPITALIS POST NATALE DN̄I.

HE Heid Court, eftir Zule, of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, haldin in þe tolbuithe þairof, be ane noble and michtie Lord, Robert Lord Boyde proueſt, George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyoun, and James Flemyng, baillies of þe ſamyn, þe xix day of Januare, þe ȝeir of God, JCD V^c. lx threttene ȝeirs. The Suttis callit. The Court confermit. Dempstare, James Speir.

THE POINTIS OF ÞE HEID COURT.

[*Scab.*] James Anderſone millare hes thre ſcabbit horſs; John Gam̄yll hes ane; Thomas Scott hes ane; and Thomas Will hes ane ſcabbit horſs; Quhilkis perſones ar ordanit to be warnit to þe nixt Court, to heir þame decernit to be handillit, cōforme to þe auld Statuts made anent ſcab and fairſy, and to be fichtit be Arch^d. M^r. and Thomas Watterſton.

[*Lepir.*] Marioun Gardiner, dochter to Steyne Gardiner,
Jonet Grhame,
Jonet Steward,
Robert ——,* fleſcho^r.
Quhilkis perſounes ar dilatit as Lepir, and ordanit to be viſeit, and gif þai be fund ſua, to be ſecludit of þe town to þe hoſpital at þe brigend.

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[*Tailzoure.*] The quhilk daye Margaret Andro, ſpous to Johne Anderſone cordiner, is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublance done be hir to Jonet Tailzo^r. dochtir to James Tailzo^r., in ſtryking of her and rugging fur^t. of her hair, upone þe hie gait of Glaſgw, upon Sondaye þe viij of Januare inſtant, w^tin þe tyme callit of auld þe ꝑclamã^on. of Zule girtht, * and now of abſtinẽce, and dwme gevin þ^rupone and þ^rfor, is decernit to mak þe ſaid Jonet ane amends, be þe ſicht of twa ny^tbors; and William Anderſone maltman is becum cautioner for making of þe ſaid amends.

[*Boill—Spreull.*] The quhilk daye Patrik Spreull, being perſeuit be Johne Boill chepmã, for trublance done be him, upon þe xi of Januare inſtant, within þe tyme of þe ꝑclama^on of feriat tyme * and abſtinẽce, * in invadyng of him, and ſtryking of him w^t. ane quhinger, and ſchutyng him on the wallis, thro^t. the quhilk þe ſaid Johnes neifs wes voundit to the effuſioũ of his blude: Grantit þe ꝑmiſs, and becum in þe ꝑuest and baillies willis þ^rfor.

[*Johneſoun.*] 22 January. The quhilk daye comperit Felane Johneſoun, and maid fay^t. þat he dred Johne Campbell, burges of Glaſgw of bodely harme, and deſyrit Lawſouertie; and quhom for David Howe litſter become cautioun, þat þe ſaid Felane ſuld be ſka^tles of bodely harme of þe ſaid Johne, and all þat he may lett, under þe pains contenit in acts of Parliamẽt. And ſiklike þe ſaid Johne maid fay^t. þat he dred þe ſaid Felane of bodely harme, deſyring ſouertie in likmaner, quha fand Williame Anderſoun cowp Lawſouertie, þat þe ſaid Johne ſuld be ſkay^tles of bodelie harme of him and all þat he may lett, under þe ſaid panes.

[*Callander.*] The quhilk daye Jonet Cloggy is decernit, of hir awn confeſſioũ, to content and paye to Robert Callander zounger of Ballinco^t. and ñioun Lyndſaye, ſpouſs, þe sowme of twẽty ane merks, for þe pc̃e of four maſks malt, coſt and reſauit, w^tin xv dayis nixtocũ.

[*Robeſoun.*] The quhilk daye Johne Crawford tailzoure, is decernit þe allegaonnes of ꝑteis being hard, to cõtent and paye to Iſabel Robeſoun xvi^t. reſtand, for þe foſtering of ane barne, w^tin xv dayis, w^t. viij^d. of expẽsis.

* Yule girth—feriat time—abstinence—a privilege granted to prisoners about Christmas.

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[*zoung.*] 26 January. The quhilk daye Alexander Scott baxtare, is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiamēt of court, for ſtopping of George zoung dekyn, fra entering in his buy^t. to exerce þe ſtatute anēts þe weying of his breid. And als William Neilſoun is fund in þe wrang, in likmaner, for injuryng of þe ſaid George his dekyn. And þe ſaid George is fund in þe wrang, for ſtryking of þe ſaid Williame Neilſoun. And als Williame Anderſone & Thomas Glen ar fund in þe wrang, for baiking and haveing inſufficient breid, cōtrar þe ſtatuts of þe towne, and dwme gevin heirupon.

[*zoung.*] 29 January. The quhilk daye Alexander Scott baxtare is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiamēt of court, for trublance done be him to George zoung baxtare in ſettyng of þe quheit mylne thryſs, and not ſuffering þe ſaid George to grynd, he haveand his ſtuff þ^r on & licence þ^r to, and dwme gevin þ^r on.

[*Symſoun.*] The quhilk daye William Browne is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiamēt of court, for trublāce done be him to Bartilmo Symſone in manaſſyng him, and invading him w^t. ane drawin quhyng^r.* upone þe hie gait, upone ſondaye laſt, and dwme gevin þ^r upon.

[*Spang.*] 12 February. The quhilk daye, in preſens of þe baillies, Robert Flemyng is decernit and ordanit, be þe ay^t. of ptie referrit be him þairto, to content and paye to William Spang þe ſowme of xxviij^s. and vi^d. for certain droggis furneiſt to þe ſaid Robert, w^t in xv dayis, and is abſoluit fra xxix^s. cravit fra him by þe ſaid Robert for ane dowbletyng of kenveſs promiſt, becaus he denyit þe ſamyn be his ayth.

[*Pollok.*] 26 February. The quhilk daye George Pollok cowpar is maid burges and fremā of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aith of fidelitie to þe toun; quhais fynes wes gevin to Thomas Downy, be vertew of ane rolment for making of ane cōmone drwme geven to þe cōmone menſtrale to playe w^t.

[*Steward.*] The quhilk daye, Criſtiane Boyde, ſpous to Johne Nevyn is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for þe wrangus taking at hir awin hand, by ordo^r. of ane buyrd and ane furm fra Eliz^t. Steward, and is ordanit to redelyuer þe ſamyn to hir incōtinēt.

* Quhingar—Hanger or sword.

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[*Cõmone procurator.*] Anent þe mater movit be Michael Barde cõmone procurator agains Mrgt Grhame, relict of umqu^la^ Matho Heriot, for nõ delyueryng of þe hew^t^ Irne chengeis had in kepyng of þe toun, be hir and her ſaid ſpous, the ſaid mgt allegit John Fowlar hir varrand, and deſyrit ane terme to call him, quhilk wes grantit and affignit þairto, þe V of mche nixt, ptibus citat^a^.

[*Park.*] The quhilk daye, anent þe mater movit be Criſtene pk, relict of umqu^la^ James Hall, agains Williame Anderſoun cowpar, for non payement makyng to þe ſaid Criſtiane, as relict to þe ſaid umq^la^ James, and her barnis, of þe fee promift be þe ſaid Williame to þe ſaid umq^la^ James, for his ſervice in ane viage to þe bawn,* in þe quhilk þe ſaid umq^la^ James inlaikit be deceiſs: The baillies, w^t^ þe avyiſs of þe counſell, herand, ſeand and underſtandand þe richtis, raſones and allegationis of bayth þe ſaidis parteis, togidder w^t^ þe ſaid Williames confeſſioun, decernit and ordanit þe ſaid Williame to content and paye to þe ſaid Chriſtiane, for hirſelf and in name and behalf of hir ſaid barnis, þe sowme of aucht ſchillingis money ouklie, be þe ſpace of nyn oulkis during þe tyme of his ſuice maid in þe ſaid viage befoir his deceis, within xv dayis nixtocum, w^t^ twa ſchillingis of expenſis.

[*Reid—Clwne.*] 5 March. The quhilk daye þir pſonis underwritten, viz., Johne Reid, James Frebarne, Johne Clwne, Andro Carmycell, James Bar, Niniane Syare, Thomas Syar youngar, and Michael Gurlaw, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiamēt of court, for cõtravenyng of þe ſtatuts of þe toun and diſobeying of þe Vatter baillie, in p force at þ^r^ awin hands taking of killyng † fur^t^ of þe boyts, and dwme gevin þ^r^on.

[*Legat—Mulyng.*] The quhilk daye Margaret Alderſoun, ſpous to James Anderſone is fund in þe wrang and amchiamēt of court, for trublance done be hir to Jonet Legat and mgt Mwling, in ſtryking of þame w^t^ ane ſtaff and her neifs, upone þe ferd of mche inſtant, and chaſyng of þame diuerſs tymes, and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Roger—Rankine, &c.*] 16 March. The quhilk daye Johne Roger fiſchor is fund in þe wrang and amchiamēt of court, for contravening of þe ſtatuts, in nõ preſentyng of his ſalmond to þe mcat and ſellyng of þe ſamyn, in houſs not beyng

* Bann, river in Ireland?

† Killing—Salmon.

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pntet to þe m̃cat: And als Alex^r. Rankine & Pat^k. Graynger ar fund in þe wrang for foirftalling of þe m̃cat in bying of ſalmont w^t in houſs in greit,* or þai wer pntit to þe m̃cat, and dwme geving heirupone.

[*Blakwod.*] The quhilk daye Johne Blakwod is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiamēt of court, for delvyng doun of þe erd beſyde Stenewis Woll,† quhilk is comoun, purpoſyng to appꝓpat þe ſamyn to himſelf, and dwme gevin heirupon.

[*Graye—Anderſone.*] 23 March. The quhilk daye William Anderſone ȝoungar, maltmā, is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiamēt of court, for ſtryking of Marione Graye, and þe ſaid m̃ione is lykvyſs fund in þe wrang, for injuring and blaſpheming þe said Williame be wordis, and dwme gevin þ^r on.

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QUHILK daye, Williā Glen, sone to Johne Glen, is fund in þe wrang, for caſting of ane ſtane at Robt. Rank. and hitting him þairwith abone þe ey to þe effuſion of his blude: And als Johne Glen ȝoung^r., and Johne Glen, breþir to þe ſaid Williā, ar fund in þe wrang, for ſtryking of þe ſaid Robert, and caſting him doun violentlie to þe erd: And als Laurēce Hoge for trublans done to Johne Glen ȝoung^r., in thrawing of his neiſ, and hitting him on his heid w^t. ane Irne fyle: And þe ſaid Johne Glen for invadyng of þe ſaid Laurēce w^t. ane drawin quhing^r., efter þe firſt tumult ceſyng: And als George Layng for invadyng of Johne Glen w^t. ane drawin ſuord, and dwme gevin þ^r on rx^ive.

STATUTUM.

The quhilk daye þe Baillies and Counſell ordanis Thomas Craig to be callit for removyng of þe gallows fur^t. of þe Loyne, ſett be him at his awin hand: And ordains and deputs þir pſones underwritten to viſie þe lonys, þat þe ſamyn be no^t. diminiſit; viz. þe baillies, Williā Conyghame, Johne Wilſoū, William Watt, Johne Flemyng, and Michel Barde: And als ordanit þe inhabitants of þe baronie to be varnit to bryng in þair furlots and meſo^m. to be Juſtit and ſelit.

* Wholesale. † St. Enoch's Well.

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[*Andersone—Steyne.*] 2 April. The quhilk daye Marione Jamefone, Jonet Maxuell, m̃ione Maxuell and Jonet Maxuell hir dochteris, ar fund in þe wrang and am̃chiamēt of court, for trublāce done be þame to m̃ione Stene, fpous to James Anderfone, carter, in ftryking of hir, fcartyng of hir, and dynging hir to þe erd, upone þe laft daye of m̃che: And þe faid m̃ione is fund in þe wrang, for ftryking of Jonet Maxuell, ȝoung^r., and als þe faid James Anderfone is fund in þe wrang for ftryking of Jonet Maxuell, fpous to George Wilfoun, and ficlike, þe faid George is fund in þe wrang, for invadyng of þe faid James, w^t. ane drawin quhyng^r., and dwme gevin þairupon.

[*Calderuod—Gibson.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Gibfon is fund in þe wrang, for trublance done be hir to Jonet Calderuod fpous to Johne Wilfone, in fchutyng of hir violentlie upone þe watterfide: Als þe faid Jonet Calderuod in þe wrang, for ftryking of þe faid Jonet Gibfone w^t. hir handis and feit, on þe penult of m̃che inftant, & dwme gevin þ^rupone.

[*Craig.*] The quhilk daye, Thomas Craig, cordiner, is fund in þe wrang for nō-compance: and als for þe tranfportyng of þe gallowfis at his awin hand, furth of þe auld accuftomat place, sa neir hands þe toun; and is ordanit to repone þe famȳ again.

STATUTUM.

6 April. The quhilk daye, the Baillies and Counfale depute for modification of þe entre filuer of þe buythis, undir þe tolbuy^t., all in ane voce declarit, modefeit, and decernit ilk buy^t. to paye of entres filuer for ane liferent tak, to þe The^r. xx lib. quhilk sal be beftowit upone þe mendyng and repairing of þe tolbuy^t., and to na uther ufe.

[*Cowane—Hamylton—Browne.*] 7 April. The quhilk day, Margaret Hamilton is fund in þe wrang, for cafting of ftanes at Jonet Cowane, and chafyng and manaffyng of hir on þe ferd of Ap^le. inftant, and als þe faid m̃gt, and Robert Browne and Jonet Broun hir barnys, in þe wrang, in ftryking and rugging of þe faid Jonet Cowanes hair, and caftyng hir to þe erd: And ficlike, þe faid m̃gt Hamylton in þe wrang, for invadyng of Jonet Moresone, fpous to Johne Browne, and cafting ftanes at hir, and als for blafpheming be injurious wordis and fclander, þe faidis fpoufis and dwme gevin þ^ron.

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[*Huntare—Curry.*] 9 April. The quhilk daye, Alex^r. Curry and m̃ione Smy^t. ſpouſſ ar fund in þe wrang for trublance doun be þame to m̃garet Huntare, in caſtyng doun of ij pair ſchets, trampyng of þame in þe gutter, and ſtryking of þe ſaid Marg^t; and dwme gevin þ^rpon: And Pat^k. Graye, cautiouner for Alex^r. and his ſpous, and Robt. Hucheſon for þe ſaid m̃gt, þat þai ſal abſtene fra ſtryking of utheris in tyme cuming, under þe pane of x lib. and gif þai flyte to be brankit.*

CURIA CAPITALIS POST PASCHA.

INQUISITIO.

James Boyde, Chancellare,
Maiſter Adame Walles,
William Maxuell,
Robert Steward,
Andro Baillie,
Johne Flemyng, m̃chand,
Robert Mure, m̃chand,
Johne Arbuckill,
Robert Flemyng,
Johne Wilſone,
Nicol Andro,
James Braidwod,
Peter Lymburner.

23 April. The quhilk daye, William Wilſon is fund be þe inqueiſt in þe wrang, for bludyng of Richart Woddrop on þe heid, on Cropnesto^e: And þe ſaid Richart Woddrop, and Andro Woddrop his broþ^r., ar fund in þe wrang, for occasione and bludvyte þ^rof: And also Johne Woddrop, cowper, and Andro Woddrop his broþ^r. ar fund in þe wrang be þe inqueiſt, for hurtyng and wondyng of þe ſaid William Vilſon to þe greit effuſionne of his blude, in þe Gallowgait, on þe morne þ^refter: And ſiclik þe ſaids Richart and Johne Woddropis ar fund in þe wrang, for onſettyng and invadyng of þe ſaid William w^t. drawin ſuerds and piſtolats in þe m̃cate, on Skyrfuriſdaye† laſt, and dwme gevin heiron.

[*Park.*] The quhilk day m̃ione Alderſtone, ſpous to George Elphinſtoun, is fund in þe wrang for caſtyng downe of weſche, and putting fur^t. of m̃gt. þk fur^t of hir hous, and dwme gevin þ^ron, and þe amends referrit to þe counsale.

[*Burell—Barry.*] The quhilk daye George Burell ſadler, and John Barry ſmy^t. and aþ^r. of þā, fund in þe wrang, for trublance done be ather of þame to

* Branks were a kind of pillory. † Skyr, or Skirrisfuresday—The Thursday before Good Friday.

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wþeris, in John Wilſone's hous, and þe ſaid George for ſtekyng wp of þe ſaid Johne's buyt wyndo, and dwme gevin þron.

STATUTUM.

April 24. The quhilk daye it is ſtatute, thot gude, and ordanit, be þe pueſt, baillies, and counſale, þat þe weſtir ruinous gavill of þe Blackfreir kirk, and þe ſtanes þrof be tane doun, and be þe ſkellat * pcedyng, rowpit and ſauld to þe maiſt avale, and þe pce þrof conuertit and applyit to þe mendyng of þe vyndois and miniſters ſait in þe ſaid kirk; and to þt effect appointit for pformyng þrof þir pſones, viz. Johne Wilſone, William Watt, William Struþers, wt ane baillie.

Als þai ordanis þe comoun pcurator to perſew for þe ſiluer work of þe new kirk mget Rankyn.

[*Govane.*] 27 April. The quhilk daye Duncane Finlaye is fund in þe wrang and amchiamēt of court, for trublās done be him to mione Govane and mione Williāſon, in bicking † of þr twa tubbis wt his quhyngr and hands, ſkalyng and caſting awaye of þe clayta þrinto, on Setturday laſt, and dwme gevin þron.

[*Finlaye.*] 30 April. The quhilk daye mione Govane and mione Wilſoun ar fund in þe wrang, for þe wrangus cūming throw Duncane Finlayis gard, and trampyng downe of þe gerſs, makand oppin paſſage, but his licence; and dwme gevin þrupon. And als Johne Pawtone's wyf is in lykmanner dečnit, and for þe injuring of him.

[*Chryſteſon.*] The quhilk daye Katherine Flemyng is decernit to deliuer to Katherine Chryſteſoun, ane gold ryng laid in wod be þe ſaid Katherine, wtin xv dayis nixtocū.

[*Craftis Comunitie.*] 1 May. The quhilk daye comperit William Maxuell merchand, in name of þe mchandis, and ſax dekynis of craftis, in name of þe haill craftis and haill cōite, and diſaſſentit fra þe geving furt or delyng of ony pt of þe comone mm to James Boyde, or to ony utheris mair nor is ellis delt, and pteſtit þat þe ptis þrof ellis delt and gevin furtht, by ‡ þr conſentis in tymes bigane, ſuld not

* Skellat, Town-crier's hand-bell. † Bicking, Beating or chopping. ‡ Without, or against.

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ꝑjuge þã, bot þat þai may have tȳ and place for recallyng and remeid þ^r^of.

[*Bogill—Paterſoun.*] 4 May. The quhilk daye þe baillies ordanis ane coit of mailze and ane hatt, laid in wod be Jonet Patterſoun, ſpous to Gilbert Scherilaw, to Marione Heuwell, ſpous to Thomas Bogill, upone þe ſowme of xxxviij^s^ iiij^d^ money, to be rowpit be þe offi^rs^ and þame to paye þe ſaid ſowme to hir, and þe reſt to þe ſaid Jonet; and þat becaus þe ſaid Jonet being thryſs warnit to compeir and lowſs þe ſamyn, be payment of þe ſaid ſowme, or ellis to heir it rowpit, cōpit nocht, nor ſchew na caus in the contrar, w^t^ iij^s^ of expenſis.

[*Wynzet.*] The quhilk daye Petir Lymburnare is becumin actit of his awin proper confeſſioun, as cautionir for Sr Johne Maſoūn, for uphalding of ane tenement at þe graye freir wynd, ꝑtening heritablie to Johne Wynzett, in lyk eſtait as is now, at þe deceis of Jonet Maſoūn, mod^r^ to þe ſaid Johne, conform to þe fichting þ^r^of, maid be þe Lynars of þe town; and Johne Steward of Bowhouſs is decernit to relief and keip ſkaithles þe ſaid Peter of þe ꝑmiſſis.

[*Grhame.*] The quhilk daye James Anderſone m̃chand is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiamēt of court, for trublance done be him to Jonet Grhame, in caſtyng doun violentlie on ſett purpoſe ane tubful of ſalt, and ſcalyng and ſpilling þ^r^of, and is ordanit to repair þe ſkay^t^.

[*Lawtetht.*] The quhilk daye Bartilmo Lawtetht is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiam^t^ of court, for trublās maid be him to ane pure wyf callit * ———, for ſtryking of hir to the effuſione of hir blude, and is ordanit to paye to hir iiij^s^ for amends, and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Blakburne—Steyne.*] 7 May. Anent þe mater movit be Archibald Stene, as factour and commiſſioner for James Blakburn, aganis Johne (Steyne) cordiner, for nō delyuerance of ane pair walker ſcheris † being in his hands, pertenyng to umq^la^ Arch^d^ Blakburne, and now to þe ſaid James as ane ꝑt of his movable airſchip guddis, contenit in Bill; þe ſaid Johne cōperand, no^t^ grātand þe ꝑmiſſis, allegit þat þe ſcheris can no^t^ be airſchip, as no^t^ uſit be þe deid, bot ar ane ꝑt of his movable guddis: þ^r^to anſ^r^it þe ſaid Ar^d^, þat in sa fer as þai wer sett in hyring

* Blank in original. † Fullers' shears.

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þai aucht to be airſchip guddis; and to aviſe heirw^t. þe baillies aff^t. þe xiiij daye of Maye inſtant, ꝑtibus citat^a.

[*Baxtare.*] The quhilk daye William Kyle is fund in þe wrang, for þe taking and intrometting w^t. at his awin hand, but ordour, ane kow, gevin be him at Alhallovmes laſt to Jonet Baxtare, as tyde* for þe first calf and milk, and being in hir poſſeſſione ſenſyne; and þ^rfore is decernit to delyuer to hir ane tyde kow, and to ſatiſſe hir for þe proffett of calf and milk þ^rof incontinēt, and dwme gevin þairon.

[*Flemyng.*] The quhilk daye William Conynghame and Elizabe^t. Colquhoun ſpouſſs, ar decernit, be þe aitht of ꝑtie referrit be þame þairto, to deliuer to Katherine Flemyng ane gold ryng w^t. ane ſtane, laid in wod of xl^s.; and als to deliuer tua powder flacats†, and thre pewd^r. playts, laid in wod of xxx^s. Scho payand to þā þe ſaid money incontinent.

[*Watſoun.*] The quhilk daye James Anderſone m̃chand is fund in þe wrang, for taking awaye of twa ſtanes ꝑtening to Aliſone Watſoun, lyand at David Grhames foir buy^t.; and als for diſobeying of þe baillies cōmand, and dwme gevin þ^rupon.

[*Pollok.*] 14 May. The quhilk daye Edward Pollok ſkynner is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t. and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelitie to þe town; Quhais fynes wes gevin be þe baillies and counſale be þ^r. rolment to Johne Moreſoun, in ſatiſfactione of his hors tane fra him þe tȳ of þe truble, and for releving of travello^rs horſs tane be him þ^rfor, lowſit be him at þe townes requeiſt.

[*Legate.*] The quhilk daye Archibald Legate cordiner is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t. and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aith of fidelitie to þe towne; Quhais fynes wes gevin be þe baillies, counſale and dekynis to George Burell m̃chand for his ſupport, to releve his extreme pouẽtie in tyneyng of his pak be þe ſey.

[*Marteyne—Dūlop.*] 18 May. The quhilk daye Jonet Dūlop is fund in þe wrang, for trublance done be hir to Agnes m̃tene, in caſtyng of dirt at hir vyndo,

* A tyde cow is a cow with calf. † Or flaketts—flaskets. Fr. Flasquet.

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and fyling hir ſtuff ſett þair, viz., breid, cheis and buttir: And als þe ſaid Agnes is fund in þe wrang, for caſtyng fur^t^ of weſche at þe ſaid Jonet, and dwme gevin þ^r^on.

[*Watſone.*] The quhilk daye James Anderſone millare is fund in þe wrang, be trublance maid be him to m̃garet Watſone, in caſtyng of ane cop at hir face, and invadyng of hir w^t^ ane ſtoip, and manaſſyng hir w^t^in hir awin hous, and dwme gevin þ^r^upon.

[*Caulduell.*] 25 May. The quhilk daye m̃gt Mure, ſpous to Johne Rankene, is fund in þe wrang of hir confeſſioun, for trublans done be hir to Johne Caulduell, in caſtyng of ſtanes at his duris and wyndois, chaiſand ane honeſt man in his hous, and dwme gevin þ^r^upon.

[*Chalmerlayne Boyde—Troyne.*] 28 May. The quhilk daye comperit James Boyde chalmerlane of Glaſgw, and Matho Boyde takisman to my Lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, of þe troyne,* and requirit þe baillies to caus John Caulduell, ꝑſo^ly^ pñ^t^ to deliuer to him þe metts, meſo^r^s, and wechtis of þe trone. Compꝑit þe ſaid Johne, and deſyrit þe copie of þe clame: Allegit þe ꝑſewars, þat he au^t^ to have na copie, becaus þe actioun is com̃one and au^t^ not to have delaye. Thaireftir þe ſaid Johne wes content to delyuer ſa mony wechts, weyis, balks, and meſſo^r^s, as he reſſauit fra Robert Millar his ꝑdeceſſo^r^. The Chalm̃lane and takismā accepts þe confeſſioun, and deſyrs þe baillies decreit, accordyng to þe confeſſioun. The baillies continuit þe ꝓnũciation to þe xxix of Maye inſtant, ꝑtib^t^ citat^t^.

[*Park.*] The quhilk daye James Riche cowper is decernit to content and paye to Chriſtiane Park, þe ſowme of foure lib^t^ money, of þe firſt upſett þ^t^ fallis to þe cowꝑcraft, or ellis to delyuer to hir þe box w^t^ þe euidēts quhilk he reſauit fra hir.

[*Crawfurd—Conynghame.*] 31 May. The quhilk day the thre Baillies and ane parte of þe counſale paſt to viſie and decyde þe queſtione of Lyneyng and ny^t^bourheid betuix Thomas Crawfurd of Jurdanhill, fewar of þe perſone of Glaſgwis mans, on þat ane part, and maiſter Dauid Conynghame, fewar of þe

* The beam on which the public scales of the town were suspended.

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ſubdeynes mans, on þat wþer part; and eftir the fichting þairof, wt. conſent of bayt. þe ſaidis pteis, Ordanis þe ſaid Thomas to big up þe pece mantale wall upone þe ſaid maiſter Dauid's ground; and þe ſamyn wall wt. þe ground to appertene to þe ſaid maiſter Dauid in tyme cumyng, þe ſaid maiſter Dauid fyndand ſtanes þairto; and þat þe ſaid Thomas ſtank to be maid, ryſs na hichtar nor þe ſaid maiſter Dauidis ſeller flure, quhairthrot. þe ſaid maiſter Dauidis tenement and houſſis be nocht damnefeit be þe watter or wþerwyſs in tymis cuming, and þe droppis and eiſmentis þat þe ſaid maiſter Dauidis hous had of before, to be reſerwit and kepit in tymis cuming; and als ordainis þe comone ſynk to have fre paſſage, for þe comon wele of þe haill towne, as paſſit of befoir; and ordanis þe ſaid Mr. Dauid to tak awaye þe erd abone þe mantle wall. And als þai fynd the caſtyng of the ſtank be þe ſaid Thomas, on na wyiſs to be hurtfull to be dounfallyng of þe ſaid Mr. Dauidis turnepyk.

VRIA—VITSONDAY COURT.

The Court of Perambulatioun of þe merchis of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, haldyn at þe mylnedam, be ane noble and potent Lord, Robert Lord Boyde proueſt, George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyoun, and James Flemyng, baillies þairof, upone Vitſone tyſdaye the firſt daye of Junii, þe zeir of God JCD Vc. Lx fourtene zeirs, þe ſuts callit, þe court cōfermit. Dempſtare, James Speir.

The names of þe Owt landemeris.*

Andro Baillie,	Mathow Wilſoun,
Dauid Hall,	David Cottis,
Johne Stark,	Johne Graye,
Johne Steyne,	James Gilhagy,
Johne Anderſoun, cordiner,	James Anderſoun, offir.

Faltis gevin wp be þe outlandemeris.

Item, Eduard Louthianis wyf hes diminiſt þe comone Loyne at þe querrell hoill of Ramishorne.

* Landemer, a landmeasurer—Outlandimer, measurer of land without the town.

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Item, þe passage þat paſſis to þe querrell and m^r^ and þe comone paſturis, ar sua þat na cart or paſſage maye be had þairto, without þai be fillet wp.

Item, certain Turvis caſtin upon þe Sȳmerhill, be quhom we miſknau.

Item, ane m̃che ſtane tane awaye of þe ſȳmerhill, and brocht doun ane greit space inwith þe comone.

Item, ane march ſtane tane awaye at þe burne, under þe hird's hous of wodſyde, sumtyme ane haw^t^horne grew þair. Item ane wder march ſtane tane away at þe nuik of cayttis dyik, betuix and Sanct Mungois tre. Item twa lous m̃che ſtanes beand betuix þe reid moſs and hird hous of the keppo^t^. Item ane m̃che ſtane tane awaye at þe nuik of þe keppo^t^ wpone þe north ſyde. Item ane lous ſtane lyand upone þe hicht of þe hill foirnent þe keppo^t^. Item ane m̃che ſtane up at þe eiſt end of þe Balgray medo and caſtin in þe moſs in o^r^ awne comone, hid under þe erd.

Item, Thomas Glen baxtare, hes dyminiſit þe comone lone paſſand fra Gaddis brig, and hes ſett furtht his dyik and ſawin upone þe comone thre or fo^r^ ellis or þairby.

Item, the haill paſſage of þe Deynſyde well is ſtoppit throw oure caſting of þe erd and ſtanes of þe ȝairdis nixt adjacent þairto. Item þe comone well callit Gleghorne's well besyd Andro Sympleis hous under Robert Bareis hous, is fillit up w^t^ ſtanes contrar þe comone weill.

Item, þe brwme ward occupeit be Jeyne Conyghame, þe dyikis at hir heid landis is caſtin down. The m̃che ſtanes undermynit þairthrow at þe eiſt nwik of þe myldame; at þe heid of þe landis betuix þe landis of Stewin, Glaſgw, and Archibald Stewin þe m̃che ſtane tane awaye.

Item, Eduard Louthiane's wyf, hir dykis fallin down, and hes ſawin inwitht þe comone, at þe ſyd of þe myldame; we underſtand ane m̃che ſtane to be tane awaye fra þe ſyd of þe ſamyn.

Item, þe gudman of Schelis hes brokin þe myldame, and hes maid þair dyik þairw^t^

Item, Johne Scott, duelland in comone Inche caſtis ȝeirlie in oure comone nyn or ten daye work of turvis, and haldis daylie upon oure comone twentie heidis of nolt, ſcheip and horſs.

Item, Johne Crawfurd, vnfreman, hes caſtin fo^r^ dayework turvis and ſax daye work peittis, and ſyndry wþer fremen and unfre, by þe ſtatuts of þe towne flais*

* Skins the Common, a figurative expression for taking up all the surface Turf.

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up þe haill m^r. by ordo^r.,* sua þat na beftiall maye have na pafturall þair upone.

adill. The quhilk daye, þe cafualties of þe mercat callit þe Ladill is fett to Robert Millare, melemã, quhill Witfone tyfday nixtocum, for þe fowme of nyne fcoir m̃kis money, to be payit at þe termes vfit and wont. Souertie for paymẽt þairof, Johne Wilfoun, m̃chand. þe termes are third in hand, third at myde terme, and þe reft at beltane.

[*Gift of the Brig.*] The quhilk daye, þe new gift gevin to þe brig, and fmall cafualteis grãtit þ^r to, ar fett to Nicol Snodgers, for þe fowme of four fcoir m̃ks money, to be payit at thre termes vfit^t. and wont, vizmichaelmes, candilmes and beltane.

[*Hirdis.*] The quhilk daye, John Wilfoun is maid nethir towne hird for þis pn̄t ȝeir: and Thomas Arftoun is maid overtoun hird, in lykmaner, to be equall in proffet. Souertie for þe faid Johne Wilfoun, Johne Wilfoun, pewderare, and Michael Barde, souertie for þe faid Thomas, David Lyoun, for þ^r. gude feruice.

[*Poynder.*] The quhilk daye, James Speir is creat poynder, for þis pn̄t ȝeir, Souertie for gude rewle and feruice in his office.

The menftrales cõtinewit quhill þe fỹmerhill, quhen þe haill communitie sal be prefent to geve þair votis þairanent.

[*Anderfoun—Pollok—Steward.*] 4 June. The quhilk daye, Johne Pollok of þat ilk being perfewit be James Anderfoun, offi^r., for trublance done be him upone monundaye þe laft daye of Maye laft wes, in prefentyng and offering to have fchot him w^t. ane piftolet manaffyng, and doyng þ^t. in him laye to have slane and fchot him: And als Andro Steward being accufit for trublance done be him to þe haill tounfchip, ꝑuest, baillies, and cõite, þai exerceing þ^r. office in brynging þe faid Johne to þe hous of Juftice, fchutand, ftrykand, and trubland all manner of pfones, being in þ^t. cumpany to þ^t. effect. The faids Johne and Andro baþ^t. ꝑfonalie pn̄t becum in

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þe ſaid prouest and baillies willis for þe ꝑmiſſis, and Johne Wilſoun, pewderar is becum cautioner for þe ſaid Johne, and Gauin Grahame cautioner for þe ſaid Andro Steward, þat þai reſpectiue ſal fulfill and underlie þe ſaid proueſt and baillies willis, and the ſaids Johne and Andro ar becum actit to releve þair ſaidis ſecurities respective of þe ꝑmiſſis.

[*Anderſoun.*] The quhilk daye James Anderſoun offi^r., maid fay^t. þat he dred Johne Pollok of þat ilk of bodely harme, and deſyrit Lawſouertie of him quha fand Johne Wilſoun, pewderar, ſoũtie and lawborrowis, þat þe ſaid James ſal be harmles and ſkay^tles of þe ſaid Johne Pollok, and all þat he may lett, of bodely harme in tyme cuming, under þe pane of twa hundre^t. libs. And þe ſaid Johne Pollok is decernit to releve þe ſaid Johne Wilſoun of þe ꝑmiſſis.

[*Kneland.*] The quhilk daye George Kneland being accuſit for trublãs done be him to Robert Miller, Ladleman, for cuttyng his polks, becum in þe proueſt and baillies willis þ^rfore: And William Hegate is becumin cautioner for fulfilling of þair willis.

[*Brayduod.*] 11 June. The quhilk daye Johne Campbell is fund in þe wrang, for trublance done be him to James Braiduod, in ſtryking of him violentlie upone þe face w^t. ane pair of gluſis, be his awin confeſſioun, and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Mayne.*] The quhilk daye Margaret Andro ſpous to Thomas Downy is fund in þe wrang, for manaſſyng and boiſtyng of Katherine Mayne, and invadyng hir w^t. ane tre, and dwme gevin þ^ron.

STATUTŪ COM̄ONE PROCURATO^R.

The quhilk daye, Johne Pollok, cowpar, Eduard Pollok, ſkynner, and Hector Dũlop, wry^t., burgeſſis of Glaſgw, ar fund be ꝑbatioun of famous witnes in þe wrang, for cuming in armes contrar þe ꝑueſt, baillies, and haill townefchip, usand þe executioun of þair office, cũand agains þair aithis maid be þã þe tyme þai wer maid burgeſſis, concurrand w^t. Johne Pollok* of þat ilk, rebelland contrar þe town, doand þ^t. in þame lay (q^lk. wes nathing to be rekny^t.) to ſtop him fra cum-

* See 4 June, 1574.

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ing or brynging him to þe tolbuy^t^ for trublance of þe toun: And þairfore þe baillies and counsale, ordains þe ſaids perſones fredomes to be cryit doun be ane officiar upone ane m̃cate daye on þe cors: And als ar ordanit to be retenit in firmance in þe hey^t^ tolbuy^t^, aye and quhill þai find cautioun to mak amends, and repentance to þe kirk for brekyng of þ^r^ aithis, and to fulfill ſic injunctiones as þe kirk will devyſs for þe ſamyn.

VRIA. [*Sȳmerhill.*]

The court of ꝑambulatioun of m̃chis of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, haldin at þe Sȳmerhill, be honourable men, George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyone, and James Flemyng, baillies, upone Sondaye þe xx day of Junii q^lk^ ſuld have been þe xiij of Junii, þe ȝeir of God, JꝎ. V^c^ Lxxiiij ȝers.

[*Flesche.*] The quhilk daye anent þe complaynt tueching þe deid flesche of þe mwrehill ꝑñtit to þe m̃cate, and ſauld be Dauid Pady and Johne Millare fleſcho^r^s. The baillies, counsale, and cõite, ordains þe ſaid fleſche to be tane and erdit, and þe ſaids fleſcho^r^s þat bocht þe ſamyn, and ꝑñtit it to þe m̃cate to be puniſt according to þe auld ſtatuts.

[*Turfis.*] Anent þe complaynt maid be þe cõite, þ^t^ certane Induellaris of þe toun caſtis þe m^r^ and flayis up þe ſamyn as þai pleis, and als mekle as þai think, no^t^ regardand þe incom̃odite þat ſall cum þ^r^to in tyme cuming, gif remeid be no^t^ ꝓuidit: Thairfore it is ſtatute and ordanit be þe baillies, counſale, and haill cõite pñt, þ^t^ it ſall no^t^ be leiſum to ony freman to caſt in þe ȝeir, mair nor twa daye work of turfis, and ilk unfre ꝑſone ane daye werk, und^r^ þe pane of xl^s^ ilk falt; and þat unfre folk, ſervandis nor utheris caſt turfs or peytis on þe com̃one, w^t^ out þai be conducit of befoir be fremen undir þe pane of xx^s^ þe firſt falt, and þe nixt baniſment; and ordains þe contraveners of þis haill ſtatute to be callit þairfor.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordainit be þe baillies, counſale, and cõite, for evadyng eyting and deſtruction of cornes, þat gif ony horſs or wþer beſtiall beis fund all ny^t^ fur^t^ of houſſis in ony ꝑſones ſkay^t^ on þ^r^ ſtuff, and beis apꝑhendit ſa befoir þe sone ryfing, the awnare of þe beiſt, ſall paye of unlaw xx^s^ by þe ſkay^t^

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ſuſtenit be þe pteis. And þat na wyfe, huſſy, nor wþ^r. pſone gang amang growand ſtuff, to ſcheir ony* or gerſ amang ſtuff; for þe firſt falt, þe contravenar ſalbe haldin in þe thevis hoill viij dayis, and þe ſecund falt to be baneiſt þe towne, during þe ꝑueſt, baillies, and counſales willis.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit be þe baillies, counſale, dekyñis and haill cõite pñt, þat forſamekle as þai, conſiderand þe greit inconvenient done to þe towne, throw þe multitude of ſtrangers cumand to be burgeſſes, and ſum be ſic requeiſts as may no^t. gudelie be denyit, and ſum thro^t. þe ſmall fynes, geving far leſs nor uther tounis takis for þ^r. fredome: That ilk pſone þat beis burges, or deſyrs to be burges and freman of þis gude toun, ſall paye for þair fynes to þe theſaurer of þe toun to þe comone weal þ^rof, þe ſowme of ten punds money in tyme cuming.

[*Menſtrales.*] The quhilk daye, Archibald Bordland and Robert Duncane ar admittit to be menſtrales to þe towne for þis inſtant ȝeir, and to haif fra ilk freman allañlie, but meyt, twa ſchillings money at þe leiſt, w^t. þe mair at þe gevars pleſo^r.

[*Glen.*] 22 June. The quhilk daye, Thomas Glen, baxtare, is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiamẽt of court, for contravening of þe ſtatuts maid anents þe halding fur^t. of horſſis in þe ny^t. in wþer mẽnis ſtuff; and dwme gevin þ^ron.

[*Robeſone—Glen.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Robeſoun, travello^r., and Johne Glen butterman, and athir of þã ar fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublãs done be athir of þame to wþers, viz., þe ſaid Johne Robeſone for rugging, and ꝑforce takyng awaye of þe ſaid Johne Glẽnis cloyk, and þan, athir for invadyng wþ^ris ane greit ſpace þ^reftir, w^t. drawin quhyngers; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

[*Gilmo^r.*] 25 June. The quhilk daye, Johne Gilmo^r., cordiner, is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiamẽt of court, in brekyng of þe ſtatuts maid anents þe pete bog of auld, in holyng wp of þe ſamyn, and dwme gevin þ^rupon, and Johne Allãn ſouertie for his unlaw, conforme to þe auld ſtatuts.

* So in original—a word seems to be omitted.

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URIA. The court of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, haldin at Craig mak upone þe fayr ewin, be honourable men George Elphinſtone, Archibald Lyone, and James Flemyng, baillies, þe ſaxt daye of Julii, þe ȝeir of God, JCD. Vc. Lxxiiij. ȝeirs. The ſuttis callit, þe court cõfermit, Demſtare, Thomas Carruþers.

STATUTUM.

The quhilk daye, þe baillies, counſale, and cõite pñt, ordains euerilk buyt-halder, to have in reddines within þe buytht, ane halbert, Jak, and ſteilbonet, for eſchewing of ſick inconvenients þat may happin; conforme to þe auld ſtatute maid þairanẽt, under þe panes contenit in þe ſamyn.

[*Monky.*] 16 July. The quhilk daye, James Neilſon, tailȝor, is decernit in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Johne Monky, in dumpyng of him on þe breiſt, and invadyng þreftir him wt ane drawin quhynger; and dwme gevin þrupon.

[*Riche.*] 20 July. The quhilk daye, Elizabeth Gilhagy is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublance done be hir to Katherine Riche, ſpous to Johne Crawfurde, wt hir neyffs, and caſtyng hir doun to þe erd, and dũpyng of hir upone þe xvi of Julii, inſtant; and dwme gevin þrupone.

[*Law.*] 23 July. The quhilk daye, Valter Steward of Gallowhill, and Andro Steward, his faþr broþr, ar fund in þe wrang and amerchiamẽt of court, for trublance done be þame to John Law, ſuddert,* in inuadyng and manaſſing of him wtin his hous, and houſſyng† of him in his chalmer wt drawin wappinis; and dwme gevin þron.

[*Crawfurd—Egleſchem.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Barry, menſtrale, of his

* Soldier. † Confining him.

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awin confeſſion, is decernit and ordanit to content and paye to Mr. Archibald Crawfurd, perſone of Egleſchem̃, þe ſowme of five lib. money, viz., fo^r. m̃ks in hand, and þe reſt betuix and m̃tymes nixtocū.

[*Paterſoun.*] 3 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Johne Hānay, ſmy^t., is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiam^t. of court, for trublance done be him to Jonet Paterſoun, for ſtryking hir w^t. his neifs on hir haffet, and als m̃ione Henry his ſpous, for caſtyng ſtanes at þe ſaid Jonet; and dwme gevin þ^rupon.

[*Com̃one procurato^r.*] Anent þe action pſewit be þe com̃one pcurato^r. aganis George Burrel, dekyn of þe ſmey^ta.,* for uſurpyng of þe pueſt and baillies autho^ta. and office, in cognoſcyng of cauſis betuix pteis, inhabitants of þis toun, geving of his decrete, and ſetting fur^t. of þe ſamyn as ane rolment of court, as he had bene Judge ordinar. The ſaid George aſkit ane tm̃e to anſ^r. pmptõ^lla. qlk wes grantit, and aſſ^t. þ^rto þe vi of aug^t. inſt^t., ptibus cit^a.

[*Craig.*] 13 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, m̃gt Browne is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiam^t. of court, for trublance done be hir to Marg^t. Craig, in ſchutyng and dynging of hir, and ſcartyng of hir mouth and neis, to þe effuſione of hir blude; and dwme gevin þ^rupon.

[*Forthi.*] The quhilk daye, James Angus, and Alane Angus his ſon, ar fund in þe wrang, for trublance done be þame to Beſſe Forthi, in ſtryking of hir w^t. þ^r. neifs, and als w^t. ane rung and quhip ſchaft, upon þe ix of Augt. inſtant; and dwme gevin þ^ron.

[*Conynghame—Kynlo^t.*] The quhilk daye, m̃gt Kinlo^t., ſervand to James Boyd, and Florence Conynghame, ſpous to Johne Stirling, ar bay^t. fund in þe wrang and am̃chiament of court, viz., þe ſaid Mg^t. for þe injuring of þe ſaid Florence, calland hir preifts huyr, befoir Vitſonſdaye laſt; and þe ſaid Florence, for þe ſtryking of þe ſaid m̃gt on þe bak w^t. hir nevis, þe x of Auguſt inſtant; and dwme gevin þ^ron.

[*Wilſoun.*] 20 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Thomas Syare, elder, is fund in þe wrang and am̃chiam^t. of court, for trublance done be him to Jonet Vilſone,

* Deacon of the Smiths.

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ſpous, to Andro Steward, in ſtryking of hir, treddyng of hir in ane gutter, and cuttyng of hir clay^ta. w^t. ane litle knyfe, on þe xvi of Auguſt, inſtant; and dwme gevin þ^r on.

[*Stirlyng.*] The quhilk daye, Criſtene Stirlyng is decernit and ordanit to delyuer to Johne Stirling hir brother, ane blak ſatene dowblett lynit w^t. buckaſy,* ꝑtenyng to him, and being in hir keping, and y^t. becaus ſcho failzeit in preving of hir allegeance, y^t. þe ſamyn ſuld have bene gevin hir in wod of ſiluer; w^tin xv dayis nixt w^t. xij^d. of expenſis.

[*Anderſone—Millare.*] The quhilk daye, James Anderſone, millare, is becum actit of his awin ꝑper confeſſion and conſent, þat in cais he be fund to blaſpheme þe magiſtratis or offi^m. of þe towne, in ony ſorte unhoneſtly, or wþ^r wyſe þan becumis in tyme cuming, and beyng conuict þ^r of, þat he ſalbe banifit þe toun dwryng þair willis.

[*Kynlocht.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Stirling is becumin cautioner and ſoũtie, þat Florence Conÿghame his ſpous ſall nocht mak trublance to m̃garet Kynlocht, be waye of deid or tulzie, wþ^r wyſe nor be law in tyme cuming, under þe pane of fourty pounds money.

IE XXI°. MENSIS AUGUSTI ANNO DÑI JCC. V^c. LXXIIIJ^to.

The quhilk daye, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, w^t. þe dekynis of þe craftes, and diuerſis wþ^r is honeſt men of þe toun, convenand in þe counſalhous, and havand reſpect and conſideration to þe greit dekaye and ruyne þat þe hie kirk of Glaſgw is cũ to, thro^t. taking awaye of þe leid, ſclait, and wþer gray^t. † þ^r of, in þis trublus tyme bygane, ſua þ^t. ſick ane greit monument will alluterlie fall doun and dekay, w^tout it be remedeit: And becaus þe helping þ^r of is ſa greit, and will extend to mair nor þai may ſpair: And þat þai ar not addettit to þe uphaldyng and repairing þ^r of be þe law, zit of þair awin fre willis uncompellit, and for þe zele þai beir to þe kirk, of meir almous and liberalitie ſua þat induce na practik nor ꝑparative in tymes cuming, conforme to ane

* A kind of Buckram. Fr. Boccasin—Jamieson.

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vritting to be maid þ^r^anent: All in ane voce hes confentit to ane taxt and impofitioun of twa hundreth punds money, to be taxt and payit be þe townfchip and fremen þairof, for helping to repair þe faid kirk, and haldyng of it wattirfaft: And for caftyng and making þairof, hes appoyntit þir pfones following, viz., The dekyn of ilk craft, Johne Arbuckill, Thomas Normont, Matho Vatfoun, flefcho^r^, Patrik Howe, litfter, Robert Mure, m̃chand, William Maxuell, David Lyndfaye, eld^r^, Andro Baillie, Robert Stewart, maifter Adame Wallis, George Herbertfone, Johne Flemyng, William Hegait, Robert Flemyng, Thomas Spang, and Johne Lyndfaye, and to convene on tyfdaye nixt for endyng þ^r^of.

Item, þe proueft, baillies, and counfale, at my Lord of Glafgws requeift, hes fupfedit þe fmall cuftum of þe brig, and difchargit þe famyn to be tane fra þe baronie men of Glafgw beȝond þe brig, quhill þai be ferþer advyfit.

Item, for kepyng of þe Sondaye, it is ftatute and ordanit, þat ilk Sondaye befoir none ane of þe baillies, w^t^ ane offi^r^, and fum wþ^r^ honeft men pafs, thro^t^ þe toun, to vife tavernis and flefch m̃cat, and in cais ony flefche be fund felland eftir nyne ho^rs^, þe famyn to be efchetit and difponit to þe pure; and þe kepars of tavernis difchargit: and gif þai contempne, to be punift at þe ficht of þe pueft, baillies and counfale.

[*Law.*] 24 Auguft. The quhilk daye, Margaret Browne, fpous to Michal Gurlaw, is fund in þe wrang for trublance done be hir to Jonet Law, fpous to Michal Mair, in ftryking of hir, ruggyng fur^t^ of hir hair caftyng of hir to þe erd, and ryving of hir clay^ts^; and dwme gevin þ^r^on.

[*Pirry—Walkare.*] The quhilk daye, þe proueft, baillies, and counfale, haveand confideration and refpect to þe greit and haynous cryme comittit be Robert Pirry, tailȝoure, in difperfoning, and cruell invadyng of George Elphinftoun ane of þe baillies of þis toun, w^t^ ane drawin quhyng^r^ within þe tolbuithe, ftryking him and bludyng him þairwith, and ftryking of the officiars, and contemptions, nocht only difobeying þame in execution of þair office, bot als injuryng þame in manner foirfaid, þairfoir þai have ordanit þe faid Roberts fredome to be cryit down, and him to be reput unfre in tyme cumyng, and als to be banift þe toun induryng þe proueft, baillies and counfalis willis, and pafs awaye betuix and Sondaye at ewin nixt, and in cais he repair within þe toun without þair licenfe obtenit, is content of his awin confeffion to want his rycht hand.

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Als þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, in reſpect of þe oft and ſyndry diſobedientis done be Johne Walkare fleſchour, in diſobeying þe officiaris in executioun of þair office, and als in manaſſyng and boiſtyng of þame wt. ane knyfe, ſayand he ſuld ſtryk þame þairwitht; ordanis his fredome to be cryit doun, and he to be reput unfre in tymes cuming, during þe ꝑueſt, baillies and counſalis willis.

[*Lyle.*] 3 September. The quhilk daye, Petir Paterſoun and Alane Crawfurde ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublās done be þame to Jonet Lyle, in David Cottis borne, upon þe ſecund of Septr. inſtant, viz., þe ſaid Petir, for ſtryking and caſtyng of hir doun: And þe ſaid Alane, for harlyng of hir be þe feit, and caſtyng wp hir taill, and þreftir ſtryking of hir wt. ane flaill on þe arme, makand þe ſamyn blaye; and dwme gevin þrupone.

[*Scott.*] 7 September. The quhilk daye, Robert Scott travellor, is maid burges and fremā of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw, quhais fines wes remittit and gevin him gratis be þe baillies and counſale, at þe requeiſt of Robert Scott ſcrybe to þe lords of Seſſioun.

[*Anderſoun.*] 17 September. The quhilk daye, in pnſ of þe thre baillies ſittand in jugement, Johne Mrheid ȝoungr, als, Hucheſon is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublās done be him to William Anderſoun, ſon to James Andrſon millare, in cowmyng of him wt. ſmiddy cowme,* in Johne Hānayis ſmydde; and dwme gevin þron.

URIA—MICHAELMAS COURT.

The Court of þe Burght and citie of Glaſgw, for creatioun and pnting of lytis, for þe baillies and proueſt, be ane noble Lord, Robert Lord Boyd, George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyone, and James Flemyng, auld baillies, haldin in þe tolbuyt. þairof, þe fyft daye of October, þe ȝeir of God, JꝀ. Vc. lx fourtene ȝers.

* Ashes or dross of a smith's forge. Fr. Ecume.

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ROUEST. The quhilk daye þe auld baillies and counſale ordanit ane comiſſioūn to be maid and ſelit, to ane noble Lord, Robert Lord Boyd, of þe office of proveſtrie of þe ſaid burght and citie, for þis ȝeir to cum quhill michaelmes nixtocū, conforme to uſe and wont, and þat according to my Lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgwis nōiatione of him contenit in ane writting ſubſcriuit be his hand, quhilk þe ſaid Lord Boyd pñtit, and deſyrit to be regr̃at in þir buikis; Of þe quhilk letter þe teno^r. followis: We, James, be þe mercie of God Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, underſtandyng þe habilite and qualificatioun of ane noble Lord, Robert Lord Boyd, baillie of oure barone of Glaſgw, in miniſtrãone of juſtice wrychtlie to all perſonis, and þat þe office of proveſtrie of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, hes newir or ſeyndill bene ſeparatit in ſindry perſounes hands, fra þe baillierie of oure barone foirſaid: Thairfor, and for ſindry conſiderations moving ws, we have nominat and preſentit as be þe teno^r. heirof nominatis and preſentis þe ſaid noble Lorde, Robert Lorde Boyd, proueſt of our ſaid burght and citie of Glaſgw for þis inſtant ȝeir to cum; And ſiclyk ȝeirlie in all tymis cumyng heireftir followyng, in cais it pleſe him to accept þe ſamyn on him during all þe dayis of oure lyfetyme, wiſſing and deſyring þe baillies, counſale, and commūite of our ſaid citie, pñt and to cum, to give, ſeill, and to delyuer to him thair comiſſioun of þe ſaid office of proveſtrie, conforme to uſe and wont, for this inſtant ȝeir, and ſiclik ȝeirlie at Michaelmes in tymes cuming, duryng oure lyvetyme, gif he will accept þe ſamyn as ſaid is. And þis oure pñt nōinatioun, irrevocablie to be obſervit be ws, to all and ſindry quhome effeirs, we mak knawne be þir pñts, ſubſcrywit with owr hand, at Glaſgw, þe fyft daye of Octobre, þe ȝeir of God JCD. V^c. threſcoir fourtene ȝeiris, before thir witnes: Maiſter Andro Haye perſoun of Renfrew, Maiſter William Scott, and Maiſter Henry Gibſone, &c. The proueſt hes reſauit þe original heirof in pñs of þe baillies and haill counſale.

[*Craftis.*] The quhilk daye, my lord proueſt requeiſtit þe auld baillies and counſale, to ſuffer certane Dekȳnis of craftis to be admittit to cū in þe counſalhous, to ſtand and heir þe lytis of þe baillies choſin and nōiat þis ȝeir, but preiudice of þe privilegis, liberteis, or vſe in votyng, owther of craftis or m̃chandis in ony ȝeir þ^reftir. At quhais requeiſt, þe ſaid baillies and auld counſale hes p̃mittit thre Dekȳnis of craftis to be pñt in the counſalhous, to ſtand by, heir, and ſee þe ſaidis lytis nominat þis ȝeir onelie, sua þat induce na practik in tymis þ^reftir.

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Lytis lytit be þe proueſt, baillies, and auld counſale to be pñtit to my Lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw for nemyng of twa or three of þame baillies for þis inſtant ȝeir to cum requeiſting all wayes my lord to nominat thre in reſpect of þe multitud of þe peple and troubles in office.

George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyoun, James Flemyng, auld baillies.

Maiſter Adame Wallace, William Conyghame, Johne Flemyng, merchand, Johne Wilſoun, pewderar, James Braidwod, cordiner.

Quhilkis lytis being pñtit þat ſamyn inſtant daye to my Lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, and þe requeiſt foirſaid maid to him he nominat

Baillies for þis inſtant ȝeir,

George Elphinſtoun, Archibald Lyoun, Maiſter Adame Wallace.

STATUTA PRO PÑTI ANNO SEPTUAGESIMO QUARTO.

ITEM, it is ſtatute and ordanit be þe baillies and counſale of Glaſgw, þat þair be na derare aill ſauld, nor ſax pennies þe pynt, and þat þe ſamyn be kingis aill and werraye guid vnder þe pane of viij$^{s.}$ for þe firſt falt: The ſecund falt delying of þe brewing: The third falt, breking of þe lwmes; and þat nane brew except fremen, or the relictis of fremen, vnder þe pane of delyng of þair brewing and breking of þe lwmes.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit þat þe foure pennie laif, wey xiiij vnce, guid and ſufficient ſtufe, weill baikin breid, and þat ilk baxter have ane prent on þair breid, ſua þat þe ſamyn maye be knawn vnder þe pane of viij$^{s.}$. And þat þe deikin of þe craft viſie þe breid, and execut þis ſtatute ſcherplie, and gif he be funden negligent, he to be pvneiſt be þe baillies and counſale as repugnant to þe comoun wealth.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat þair be na myddynis laid vpone þe foirgaitt, nor ȝit in þe greyn, and þat na fleſchouris teyme þair vſchawis vpone þe foirgate, vnder þe pane of viiij$^{s.}$ ilk falt vnforgewin and þat na ſtanes nor tymer ly on þe gate langir nor ȝeir and daye, vnder þe pane of eſcheting of þā.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit þat þair be na blawn muttoun, nor breding of fleſche vnder þe pane of viij$^{s.}$; that na tallowne be ſauld of greit quantitie to paſs of þe toun quhill Fauſtrenis ewin vnder þe pane of eſchetyng þairof; and þat na fleſchouris by talloun nor deid fleſche to ſell agane, vnder þe pane of

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eſchetyng of þe ſamyn; and þat na fleſchouris, or fiſcheris pñt þair haill fleſche and fiſche, þat þai bring to þe towne all at anis to þe m̃cat, vnder þe pane of eſchetyng of ſamekle as beis fund hid in houſſis, and ſiclik all kynd of fiſcheis be pñtit to þe mercat togidder.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit þat þair be na talloune derare ſauld, nor xvij^a^ þe ſtane, and þat nane be ſauld to outtintownes men, vnder þe pane of eſchetyng of þe ſamȳ, and þat na fleſchouris by talloune preiudice of þe towne vnder þe pane of viij^a^ ilk falt.

Item, it is ſtatute þat þe pund of candill be ſauld for tuelf peñeis þe pund, and þat þe ſamyn be ſmall wickeit and weill tallownit, vnder þe pane of viij^a^; and þat na vnfre perſones mak candillis to ſell agane vnder þe pane foirſaid.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit þat na hukſtaris by haye, ſtraye, nor corne to top or ſell quhidder þai be fre or vnfre, without þai have ſtabillyng vnder þe pane of viij^a^; and þat na corne remane in þe mercat quhill x houris of þe daye vnder þe ſaid pane, to be tane of þe byar, and alſmekle of þe ſeller.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit, þat gif ony maltman, ſellis his malt to vnfre þſounes w^t^in þe burght, he ſall nocht have to perſew þe ſamyn befoir no wþer proveſt nor baillies.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit þat na maltman by beir in þe mercat, and ſend awaye þe malt þairof to wþer places downe þe watter of Clyde, but þat he pñt þe ſamyn to þe m̃cat of Glaſgw, ilk falt viij^a^ vnforgewin.

Item, the proveſt, baillies, and counſale, vnderſtandand þe name of God to be blaſphemit, and þe com̃and thairanent to be maiſt oppinlie broken but pwniſchment in þis toun, þairfoir it is ſtatute and ordanit, þat na maner of þſoun or þſounes blaſpheme Goddis name, owþ^r^ be banyng or ſuering, in tymes cumyng, vnder þe pane of vnlawis contenit in þe actis of þliament; and þair officiares to paſs throw þe towne daylie, and tak tryall and pvneiſs þe ſamȳ, conforme to þe actis of þliament.

Item, it is ſtatute and ordanit, þat þair be na muttoun ſcoirit on þe bak, nor na þt þairof, nor ȝit lattin doun before, bot ane ſcoir owder befoir or behynd, vnder þe pane of viij^a^ ilk falt: And þat na martes be bow bredit nor lattin doun, vnder þe ſaid pane; and þat þe hydis and ſkȳnis, w^t^ talloune not tarladen, be brocht with þe bouikis togidder to þe m̃cat, vnder þe ſaid pane.

Item, anent þe viſeyng of þe newe mercat, Ordanis ane of þe counſale, with ane off^r^ awaytand on him, ilk Monondaye and Frydaye ouklie about, awayit and attend on þe ſaid mercat, vnder þe pane of viij^a^ incaiſs of refuſe. And þat þe baillies viſie þe reſt of þe mercatis.

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IT is ſtatute and ordanit þat þir perſones undervritten, euery ane w^t^in þe gayts quhair yai duell, paſs ouklie thro^t^ þe ſamyn, and taiſt þe aill browin w^t^in þe boundis limatit to þaim, to ſe gif þe ſamyn be ſufficient, accordyng to þe price taxt þairupon, and quha brewis þat are unfre, and to report þe ſamyn ouklie to þe baillies.

For þe Rattonraw and Drygate,

Johne Dalrumpill, Johne Spreull.

Fra þe Wyndheid to þe Blakfrẽrs,

Cuthbert Herbertſoun, Williame Rowat.

Fra þe Blakfrẽrs to þe Croce,

Archibald Mure, Johne Tailȝo^r^.

For þe Gallogate and Troyngate,

Johne Woddrop, Johne Bell.

Fra þe Croſs to þe Nether Baraſȝett,

Mathow Wilſoun, James Craig.

Fra þe Baraſȝett to ȝe brig and Stokuell,

Johne Arbuckill, Johne Gilmo^r^,

Gilbert Newlands.

Item, it is ſtatute þat all owtintownes burgeſſis, no^t^ dwelland w^t^in þe towne, ſall pay cuſtumes vſit and wont of auld in þe towne, except in tyme of fayris.

Item, þe baillies, counſale, and dekynis, conſentis to ane ſtatute to be maid be þe miniſter and kirk, for þe downeputtyng and diſchargyng of ryatus bancatyng at brydallis, baptiſyng of barnes, or upſitting, as þai ſall deviſe þairanent.

[*Murraye.*] 22 October. The quhilk daye Johne Homill tailȝor, is fund in þe wrang and amchiam^t^ of court, for trublance done be him to Williame Murraye, in bluyding of him in þe foirheid w^t^ ane elſyng, þis inſtant daye; and dwme gevin þ^r^on.

[*Brokas.*] 26 October. The quhilk daye þe baillies decernit and ordanit þe acquavitie pot, led in wod be Jonet Clagy ſpous to Johne Moreſone, to Michaell Brokas, wpone the ſowme of ſax merk and ane half, about paſche laſt, wes to be rowpit be the officiaris, and þe pryce þairof deliuerit to þe ſaid Michaell afferand to þe ſaid ſowme, and þe reſt to be gewin to þe ſaid Jonet, or at þe leiſt, þe

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pryce as it cūis to, to be deliuerit to þe ſaid Michaell, for payment of þe ſaid, and that, becaus þe ſaid Jonet beyng thryſs warnit to compeir or louſs þe ſamyn, comperit nocht, nor ſchew na cauſs in þe contrar.

CURIA.

HE Court of þe burght and cietie of Glaſgw, halden in þe tolbuytht of þe ſamyn, be ane noble and potent Lord, Robert Lord Boyd proueſt, George Elphinſtoun, maiſter Adame Wallace and Archibald Lione baillies þairof, þe twenty-nine daye of October, þe ȝeir of God JꝀ. Vᶜ lxxiiij ȝeiris. The ſuttis callit, þe court confermit. Dempſtare, James Speir.

The quhilk daye þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, underſtandand þe cōtagious ſeiknes, callit þe peſt, to be newlie riſſin within this realme; and for awaye haldyng and preſeruation of þis gud town þairfra, hes with ane conſent, diuiſit and maid þir ſtatutes and ordinances eftirwritten.

N þe firſt it is ſtatute and expreſſly inhibit and forbidden þat na maner of perſones, induellars or þat cumis furᵗ of Leyᵗ, Kirkcaldy, Dyſart, Brwnteland, quhilkis ar ellis infectit and ſuſpect of þe ſaid peſt, nor ȝit of ony wþer townes or places þat heireſtir ſall be ſuſpect or fylit, preſume to reſort and trauell to þis town, or uſe trafficque witht þe inhabitantis þairof: And þat nane of þe inhabitantis of þis town trauell towart ony of þe ſaidis placis, or uſe ony kynd trafficque witht þame, under þe pain of deid.

Item, Becaus þat Edinburght, as ȝit, is noᵗ ſuſpect of þe ſaid peſt, except Bellis wynd, Thairfor it is ſtatute and ordanit, þat na perſone inhabitant of þis town to paſs to Edinburght without ane teſtimonial, and þat þai report ane fra þe baillies of Edinburght, þat þai have noᵗ hantit nor trafficque with ſuſpect perſones; and þat nane be reſauit furtht of Edinburght, or wther unſuſpect places, but ane ſufficient teſtimoniall ſpecifeand quhairfra þai cū, under þe pane of ten pundis. And gif ony inhabitantis of this toun trawellis to ony ſuſpect place, and bringis hame ony m̃chandis or wairis, quhairthrow ony infectioun ſal happin to

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cum in this town, thai no^t. reportand ane ſufficient teſtimoniall as ſaid is; þe ſaidis perſones bringand þe ſaid infectioun to ſuffer þe deid, and þ^r. guddis to fall in eſchete alſua.

Item, It is ſtatute and ordanit þat na maner of perſones, induellaris in this towne, reſſait in their houſs ony maner ſtranger reparand þairto, except þat þai cum firſt to þe proueſt and baillies, or þair deputtis, and pñt þair teſtimoniales, þat it may be knawin quhairfra þai cum. And þat nane w^tin þis towne reſſaue ony perſone þat cumis about þe towne, or at þair backȝardis; and þat na induellar of þis towne entir, bot at þe portis and foirgate, under þe pain of x^lib. ilk falt, and þat ilk ꝑſone cloiſs his awne ȝard end, as he will anſ^r. on his lyf. And gif ony beis apprehendit cumand about þe towne, þe ſamyn to be tane and preſonit, and handilit as ſuſpect perſones.

Item, þat na perſone duelland outwitht þe portis reſave ony perſone ſtranger in lugeing, but licenſe of þe proueſt and baillies, under þe pane of x^lib., nor na guddis debarrit at þe portis.

Item, It is ſtatute þat na travelloure be reſſauit in þis towne fra unſuſpect placis, but ane ſufficient teſtimoniall of þe burght quhair he duellis; and gif he duellis in landwert, out of burght, þe teſtimoniall to be ſubſcryuit be þe principall miniſter of þe perrohin quhair he duellis at; þat all teſtimoniallis beir þe names of, number of þe ꝑſones, quhairfra þai cum, quhat tyme, to quhat purpoſs, quhat ladinnyng þai bring, how mony horſſs: And gif ony reſſaues teſtimonialles of þis town, þat gif ewir he happinis to cum heir agane, to report ane teſtimoniall ſufficient on þe back of ouris, berand quhen and quhair he ſauld his ladinnyng, wþerwyſs nocht to be reſſauit; and þat nane be reſſauit at þe brig to mak m̃chandise without þai cum firſt throw þe town in at ane of þe kepit portis, and ſchaw þair teſtimoniales to þe proueſt or baillies, and þe ſamyn recognoſcit as ſaid is.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, hes depute þir perſones to viſe þe brig and Vatter daylie at twa tymes, viz., Dauid Lyone, Williame Watt, Johne Gilmo^r., with Archibald Lyone baillie. And na perſones to reſſait hering, nor ſufferit to mak merchandice þairat, quhilkis ar owtintownes men, bot as þai com̃and and promittis allanerlie: And gif ony gentill men duelland in landwert is deſyrus of hering, þai to cum þameſelfis; bot in caiſs gentill men of hiear degre, ſick as erle, lord, barrown, deſyris, þai to ſend ane of þair ſpeciall recognoſcit houſhald ſeruands, with þair hand writtis, and ſick perſones to be reſſauit and conwoyit be þe portaris and ſerſaris.

Item, It is ſtatute and ordanit, þat na pyparis, fidleris, menſtrales, or ony wther

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vagabund, remane in þis town fra þis tyme furtht, during þe tyme of þe peſt, but ſpeciall leif of þe proueſt, or under þe pane of ſcurgeyng and baniſment; and alſua þat na pure comon beggaris remain in þis towne fra þis furtht, except þai þat hes bene borne within burght and pochin, or hes bene lang w^t^in þat ſamyn, and þat þai depart fur^t^ of þis town within xxiiij ho^rs^ nixt, under þe pane of burning on þe cheik: And ordanis þame þat is permittit to remane, to cum to þe tolbuy^t^ and reſſaue þair mks the morn, and gif in þair names; and gif it ſal be fund þat ony of þe beggaris reſaueris of þe mks trauell furtht of þe burght or pochin, and cum in again þairinto, þ^r^ mks ſal be tane fra þame, and þai baniſt for ewir.

Item, It is ſtatute and ordanit, þat gif ony perſone or perſones, induellaris in þis town, happins fra this tyme furtht to fall ſeik, þat þe maiſter of þe hous incontinent cum to þe viſitors and ſercharis of þe gait, or ony of þame, and ſchaw þe ſamyn, þ^t^ þai may be ſichtit; and gif ony perſones happinis to deceis in ony hous within þis toun, þat þe maiſter of þe hous ſall cum to þe viſitouris appoyntit for ſichting þ^r^of or þai be wyndit, under þe pane of baniſhment: And for ferþer pforming of þis ſtatute, þai have made and depute þir perſones underwritten to be ſerſaris of þe toun, ilk ane in þe gaittis quhair þai duell, quha ſall paſs twyſs on þe daye throcht þe gayt appoyntit to þā, viz., in þe mornyng and euenyng, and viſie and inquyre of ilk hous þat may be ſeik, bot it be ſchawin to þame be þe ſaidis inhabitantis, and to begyn þairto þe ilk twa þ^r^ xv dayis about.

Sercharis for þe Rattonraw and Drygate, and about þe Wyndheid,

Johne Spreull,	John Fultoun,
Cuthbert Herbertſone,	David Wylie.

Fra þe Wyndheid to þe Blakfreris,

Johne Darumpill, Gilbert Hall, William Rowatt.

Fra þe Blakfreirs to þe Croſs,

Johne Flemyng,	Andro Heriot,
Arch^d^ Muir,	Johne Wys.

Troyngate and Gallogate,

David Lyndſaye,	Johne Wilſoun,
Johne Woddrop,	William Maxuell,
Quintene Kay,	Thomas Normō^t^

Fra þe Cors to þe Barraſȝett,

Mathow Wilſoun,	James Braiduod, ȝoung^r^,
George ȝoung,	Peter Lymburner.

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Fra þe Barraſȝett to þe Brig,

Patrik Howe,	Johne Arbuckill,
Johne Luff,	Niniane Syare.

Stockuell and about,

Dauid Moreſoun,	Johne Johnſone.

Viſitouris deput to ſicht all deid perſonis or þai be wyndit,

Johne Watſone, eldar,	Beſſe Wry^{t}.

Item, It is ſtatute and ordanit, þat all þe inhabitants of þe town obey þe ſercharis foirſaidis in execution of þair office, and in cais þai be diſobedient to þame, þair diſobedience to be puniſt as þai had diſobeyit þe proueſt or baillies.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale ordains þir four portis to be kepit daylie continewallie, and at ewin þe portaris to delyuer þe keyis to ane of þe baillies. Item, þe ſtabillgrene port to be kepit be Johne Fouler. The Gallogate port, be Archibald Lettrik. The Troyngate port, be James Rob. The southe port, callit þe nethir Barraſȝett, be John Andro.

Item, Ordanis þe Rattonraw, Drygate, and Greyfrier portis to be maid ſure and lokit, and ſtand lokit, and þe keyis þairof deliuerit to þe baillies, and nane to repair þairthro^{t} without ſpecial licenſe of þe proueſt and baillies, and þai to anſ^{r} þairfor.

Item, Ordanis þe ſculehouſs wynd and all þe wennallis to be ſimpl^{r} condampnit, and ſtekit wp.

Cõmone procuratour. 2 November.

NENT þe mater mowit be Michael Barde, cõmone procurato^{r}, for þe towne of Glaſgw for þe tyme, aganis Sir James Flemyng conteint in bill, beryng in effect, þat quhair be þe ſpace of thre ȝeiris laſt bipaſt, þe ſaid Syr James fay^{t}fullie promiſt, þat quhat tyme or how ſone he obtenit þe gift and poſſeſſione of Sanct Chriſtopheris Chapelanrie, efter þe deceiſs of vmquhile Syr Andro Valkar laſt chaplane þairof, þat he ſuld demitt and ouregewe þe chaplanrie þat he had of befoir, callit S. Mũgois chapelanrie in þe handis of þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, as patrounes þairof, to be gewin and diſponit be þame to ſum wtheris at þair pleaſoure; and albeit it be of veritie, þat þe ſaid Syr James hes obtenit fra þe town, þe gift of þe ſaid Sanct Chriſto-

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pheris chaplanrie be þe ſaidis vmquhill Syr Adamis deceiſs, witht full poſſeſſione þairof, nochtheles, he will not ordgeve nor demit þe ſaid wþr chaplārie of Sanct Mūgo, in þe ſaid proueſt, baillies, and counſales handis, patrounes þairof, to be gewin be thame to ſum wther at þair pleaſoure, without he be cōpellit, as at mair lengtht is contenit in bill, in þe termes aſſignit be ane warnyng maid be Johne Stobo officiar, to þe ſaid Syr James, to heir decree pronouncit in þe ſaid mater: Comperit James Flemyng, now comone procurator, and deſyrit proces; and þe ſaidis Syr James Flemyng beyng lauchfullie warnit ofttymes callit and not compand, þe baillies, þe uþris raſones and allegaciounes of baytht þe ſaid parteis harde ſene and conſiderit, and þrwitht ryplie avyſit, decernit and ordanit þe ſaid Syr James Flemyng to ouregeue, and demit þe ſaid chaplanrie of S. Mūgois, in the handis of þe ſaid proueſt, baillies, and counſall, as patrounes þairof, to be gewin and diſpoſit be þame at þair pleſoure, to ſum wtheris, within xv dayis nixtocum: And þat, becaus þe ſaid comone þris bill beyng admittit to his probatioun, he prewit þe ſamȳ ſufficientlie, as wes cleirlie vnderſtand to þe ſaid baillies, quha ordanit executoriales to paſs thairvpone, in forme as efferis.

[*Nicol.*] 2 November. The quhilk daye, Johne Nicoll and Marione Muirhead, ſpouſes, are decernit of þair awin confeſſion, to abſtene fra all rayling and ewill ſpeiking aganis þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, or ony of þā in tyme cuming, under þe pane of xlliib.

[*Lowrie.*] 12 November. The quhilk daye, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, gave and diſponit to Johne Lowrie, þe almous bed* laſt poſſeſſit be vmquhill Johne Gibſoun, vacand in þair handis be his deceis, to be brukit be þe ſaid Johne Lowrie, with all annuellis dewiteis pertenyng þairto, during all þe dayis of his lyftyme.

[*Henderſon.*] The quhilk daye, William Park is fund in þe wrang and amchiamēt of court, for trublans done be him to Aleſoun Henderſon, in ſtreking of hir on þe heid and face with ane knoking mell, makand hir blaye and bluidy, upone þe penult daye of October laſt; and dwme gevin þrupon.

[*Loke.*] The quhilk daye, Aliſoun Henderſoun and her dochtir ar fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublance done be þame to Elizabeth Loke,

* Bed in almshouse.

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ſpous to Williã Pk, in rugging of hir hair, and courtſchaw,* þe ſaid dayis; and dwme gevin þ^r^upon.

[*Campbell.*] Anent þe mater mowit be Robert Campbell in Faſlane, aganis Archibald M^r^, for nõ delyuering of thre platt gluifis, or ellis twenty lib. for þe price þairof, conforme to his ꝑmeis, as at mair lenth is contenit in bill; þe ſaid Archibald grantit þe reſſait of þe ſaid gluifis, and denyit þe promeis of þe twenty lib.: þe proueſt and baillies ordanis þe ſaid Robert to preif þe promeis of þe xx lib., or ellis þe awaill of þe gluifis, and aſſignet þairto ane daye of new warnyng of ꝑteis: And als capitane Andro Symple is decernit, of his awin confeſſion to releve and keep ſka^t^leſs þe ſaid Archibald of þe premiſſes, at þe ſaid Roberts handis.

[*Nemocht.*] 16 November. The quhilk daye, anent þe mater movit be Alexander Nemocht, aganis Johne Drew, m̃chand, contenit in bill makand mentioun that quhair xx dayis befoir paſche, in anno JꝎ V^c^ Lxxij, he coft fra þe ſaid Johne ane blak hors of four ȝeir auld, and þan tuke delyuerance of him; quha wes infeckit w^t^ þe farſy, w^t^in vi dayis nixt eftir þe bying, as wes planelie ſchawin on paſche tyſdaye þ^r^eftir, lang w^t^in xl dayis, þat ſuld varrandit þe ſamyn; for þe quhilk he payit to þe ſaid Johne, and wþ^r^is in his name twenty merks money, and albeit þat þe ſaid hors deit of þe ſaid ſcab and farſy, and þat be þe comõne practik of þe realme, ſcab and farſy ſuld varrand þe ſelf xl dayis, and þ^r^thro^t^, the ſaid Johne aucht to refound and paye agane to þe ſaid Alex^r^, þe ſaid ſowme of twenty merks money, quhilk he will not paye w^t^out he be compellit, as at mair lenth is contenit in bill. In þe terme aſſignit be ane warnyng maid to Michael Barde, procurator to þe ſaid Johne Drew, and alſua to Gaũin Grhame, cautioner for þe ſaid Johnes entre, to heir and ſe ſentence and decrete ꝑnuncit in þe ſaid mater: The ſaid Alexander comperand perſonallie, and þe ſaid Johne Drew and his ꝑcurato^r^ and cautioner foirſaid, being lauchfullie varnit to þis daye ofttymes callit and not comperand, The baillies foirſaids, the richtis, raſounis, and allega^o^nes of ꝑteis hard, ſene, and conſiderat, and þ^r^with being ryplie avyſit, decernit and ordanit þe ſaids Johne Drew and Gawane Grhame his cautioner for his entre, conjunctlie and ſeueralie, to content and paye to þe ſaid Alexander, þe ſaid ſowme of twenty merks money, and delỹuit for þe ꝑce of þe ſaid hors, w^t^in xv dayis nixtocum; and y^t^ becaus þe ſaid Alex^rs^ bill being admittit to his ꝑba^o^ne, he previt þe ſamyn ſufficientlie; and als þe ſaid Johnes ꝑempto^r^ defencis admittit to his ꝑba^o^ne

* Kerchief, Fr. Couvrechef.

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quhairinto, he allegit þe ſaid hors to have been infeckit in þe ſaid Alex^ra. hous and cumpany, and þ^t. þe ſaid Alex^ra. hous wes foull and infeckit of þe ſaid farſy, and y^t. he bruſtit him be dowbill charge of ladinyng to Dumbertoun, and diverſis tymes aff^t. for preving þ^r.of, he failzeit þ^r.into, as wes cleirlie underſtand to þe ſaid baillies and counſale, quha ordanit þ^r. offi^ra. to pas and poynd for þe ſaid ſowme, w^t. xiij^s. iiij^d. of expenſis of þe pley, w^t.in xv dayis nixtocum.

[*Steyne.*] 19 November. The quhilk daye, George Teñand, meleman, is fund in þe wrang and amchiam^t. of court, for trublans done be him to Johne Steyne, in ſtreking of him upone the haffat w^t. his newis; and dwme gevin þ^r.upone.

[*Wricht.*] 26 November. The quhilk daye, Johne Watſon is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Beatrix Wricht, ſpous to Nichol Snodgerſis, in caſting of hir to þe erd, and dowping of hir; and dwme gevin þ^r.on.

[*Thomſone.*] 30 November. The quhilk daye, Robert Thomſone is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for þe lifting of þe myd tre of þe port, beſyde þe caſtelȝett, it beyng lockit, and þe portar at his deñer, at his awin hand, and entering þairat, it beand lockit, and dwme gevin þ^r.on. Souertie for his entre quhen he beis requyrit, Johne Mure, fleſcho^r.

[*Herbertſõn.*] 17 December. Anent þe libellit precept rafit at þe inſtance of maiſter Robert Herbertſoun, þſone of Aire, and executoure dative to umq^ll. m̃garet Craig his moder, and Helene Craig hir ſiſter, airis to umquhile, Robt. Baxter burges of Glaſgw, aganis Eliz^t. Miller, relict of þe ſaid umq^ll. Robert, ſũmondyng þe ſaid Eliz^t. to heir and ſe ane decrete obtenit be þe ſaidis Margaret and Helene, aganis þe ſaid Eliz^t., in ane court of þe toun of Glaſgw, halden be James Hamiltoun of Torrens, proueſt of Glaſgw for þe tyme, maiſter Johne Hall, Johne M^r., and Andro Mure, baillies of þe ſamyn, of þe dait þe xi daye of Marche þe ȝeir of God, JCD. V^c. xlix ȝeiris, to be tranſferret in þe ſaid maiſter Robert, executo^r. dative to þe ſaidis Margaret and umq^le. Helene, active, and in þe ſaid Eliz^t., relict of þe ſaid umq^ll. Robert, paſſiue, and þe ſaid Eliz^t. to be decernit and adjugit be oure decreit of court, to refound and delyuer to þe ſaid maiſter Robert þe airſchip guddis eftir following, contenit in þe ſaid rolmont and decreit of court of the dait foirſaid: That is to ſaye Ane Goune of blak, vatit w^t. veluot and lynit with blak

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buge;* Item, ane lettgant bed furneift witht flandreis werdo^r., † blancattis, fcheittis, and coddis, witht all manner of wtheris neceffa^re., pryce, xx lib. Item, ane flanderis comptir of þe great bynd,‡ witht lok, key, and bandis, pryce þairof ten pundis. Item, fait langfaddill § of carvit work, pryce thre lib. money. Item, ane chyre, price þairof, xiiij s. Item, ane greit fchryne, pryce iij lib. Item, ane aiffing, price x s. Item, ane brod, payntit upon þe famyn þe Image of our Lady, pryce þairof xvi s. Item, ane meit almery of carvit work, price þairof, xvi lib. Item, ane lang meit burd witht furmes effeiring þairto, price þairof, foure pund. Item, ane burd clay^t. of dorneverk,‖ witht touellis, pryce þairof, xxx s. Item, ane pewder plait pryce þairof, vi s., callit commonelie ane compter fute. Item, ane greit pewdir chargeo^r., price þairof, xiiij s. Item, ane luggit difche, price þairof, thre s. Item, ane braffyn garde, price þairof, v s. Item, ane pewdir trunfcheoure, price þairof, xl d. Item, ane pewdir falfer, price þairof, xl d. Item, ane filuer fpwne of ane vnce vecht, price þairof, xviiij s. Item, ane tyn faltfatt, price þairof, iij s. Item, ane greit mafer,¶ doubill ouregilt witht gold, veyand xv vnce vecht, price of þe vnce xx s. Item, ane filuer pece veyand xvi vnce, pryce of þe vnce xx s. Item, ane braffyn chandiller, pryce þairof, xvi s. Item, ane tyn quart, pryce þairof, xvi s. Item, ane tyn pynt, pryce þairof, viij s. Item, ane gret meffewing bafyng, witht þe lawar effering þairto. Item, ane braffyn chawfer, pryce þairof, xiiij s. Item, ane irne chimnaye witht raxis,* weyand aucht ftane wecht, pryce of þe ftane wecht, xij s. Item, ane fpeit, ane cruik, ane tangis, ane ladyll of irne, veyand ane ftane wecht, pryce þairof, xij s. Item, ane greit pott of fowr gallownes, price þairof, thre lib. Item, ane mekill pan, pryce þairof, iij li., ane brewin caldrowne of xvi gallownes, price þairof, viij li. Item, ane mafking fatt, ane wirt trocht, price of baytht liij s. iiij d. Item, ane levand trocht ⸸ price xiiij s. Item, ane boucing tvne, ++ price þairof, xiiij s. Item, ane hogheid, ane barrell, pryce of baytht . Item, ane baking burde, pryce þairof, xxx s. Item, ane harthorne, pryce þairof, xxx s. Item, ane pair kardis, price v s. Item,

* Buge—Lamb's fur.

† Werdour or Verdour Tapestry, representing rural scenery. ‡ Bind—Dimension.

§ Langaddle, or langsettle, a long wooden seat. In the original, a word seems to be omitted before "salt."

‖ Dornewerk, or Dornewik, or Dornique, as it is frequently written. "Dornick, a species of linen cloth used in Scotland for the table."—*Johnson:* properly, linen cloth having figures raised in the weaving, diaper. Though originally manufactured at Tournay, it was imported from Holland, where Tournay is called Dornick, whence the name of the cloth.

¶ Mazer—Drinking cup: they were originally made of maple-tree.

* Raxis—Irons, &c. for spits. ⸸ Levand trocht—Leaven or kneading trough.

++ Bouking tun—Washing tun. Jameson's Supplement, Bouk.

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ane paire of woll kamys, pryce þ^r^of, xiiij^s^. Item, ane licht ax, pryce þairof, vi^s^ viij^d^. Siclik þe ſaid Elizabeth of befoir wes decernit and ordanit, be þe ſaidis ꝑueſt and baillies to refound and delyuer þe foirſaid arſchip guddis and geir to þe ſaidis umq^le^ Margaret and Helene airis foirſaid, conforme to þair ſaid decreit, or ellis to allege ane raſſonable caus quhy þe ſamyn ſuld nocht be done, as at mair lentht is contenit in þe ſaid libellit precept. The ſaid maiſter Robert comperand be Johne Herbertſone his ꝑcurato^r^; and þe ſaid Elizabeth being perſonalie pn̄t. The baillies decernit and ordanit þe ſaid act of þe dait foirſaid to be tranſferrit, as þai be þair decreit tranſferris, &c., &c.

XVIII JANUARY MDLXXIIIJ-V.

UHILK daye Johne Streuiling and Florens Conÿghame ar bay^t^ fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be þame to Eliz^t^ Chalmeris, for þe wrangus entering in hir hous, upone þe xij daye of Januare, at ix houris at ewin, within þe tyme of proclamatioun, and þairintill þe ſaid Johne, for þe ſtreking of hir with þe hiltis of ane ſworde, making hir blaye þ^r^witht; and ſiclik þe ſaid Florens Conyngham, for þe ſtreking of hir witht ane piſtolett ſtok, and rugging hir be þe hals, and taking of hir curtſchaw and withalding þairof, and ſiclik in ſtreking of hir in maiſter Adame Walles hous: and conforme to þe bill in all poyntis; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Baillie.*] 1 February. The quhilk daye Johne M^r^ fleſcho^r^ is becum cautioner and ſouertie for þe entre of ane graye hors, beyng in þe hands of William Foſter, and awnit be Matho Baillie ſeruito^r^ to Sr James Hamiltoūn, and to anſ^r^ Fridaye nixt, viz. þe ferd daye of Februare inſtant þairfoir, as law will.

[*Gibſoun.*] The quhilk daye David Landes is decernit and ordanit, to content and pay to Maiſter Henry Gibſone, as executo^r^ to umq^le^ Johne Gibſone, þe ſowme of five m̄ks iiij^s^ viij^d^ money reſtand awand be him to þe ſaid umq^le^ Johne, for þe annuel ꝑtenyng to his almouſbed, of þe tm̄es of Vitſondaye and Mertimes, in þe ȝeir of God JꝀ. V^c^ Lxxiiij ȝeir, and xvi^s^ reſtand of ane compt maid betuix þe ſaidis umqu^le^ Johne and Dauid, in Katherine Syares hous, and þat

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becaus þe ſaid Dauid failȝeit in prevyng of þe ſamyn payit, it beyng referrit to hir preif, and diuers termes aff^t. þairto; and þat w^tin xv dayis nixt.

[*Law—Hairſtone*] 4 February. The quhilk daye James Law, be his ay^t. referrit to him be þe pty, is abſoluit fra þe ſowmes follow^g., cravit fra him be Johne Hairſtone baxt^r.; viz. ſax^s. allegit lent to lous his capadoſy,* ſax^s. lent to geve in rewards, xiiij^s. geuen to by kenues, xi^s. for flo^r., iij^s. vi^d. for buttir and borm and ſpyce, and xxx^s. money allegit deliuerit at Ja^s. command to Ad Hamiltoun, becauſe þe ſaid James denyit ſamyn ſimpl^r.

[*Smytht.*] 6 February. The quhilk daye in pñs of Archibald Lyone baillie, Johne Snodgers maltmã is decernit and ordanit, of his awin proper confeſſion and conſent, to content and paye to James Smytht, in Weſtir Kers within perrochin of Falkirk, þe ſowme of tua hundreth and fiftie merkis money, for borrowit money and wthir penny worthis, within xv dayis nixtocum.

[*Browne.*] 8 February. The quhilk daye Eliza^t. Boſuell, ſpous to Johne Law, is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Eliz^t. Browne, in ſtryking of hir, and rugging of hir hair of hir foirheid in ane greit quantitie, upone þe penult of Januare laſt; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

[*Swan.*] The quhilk daye Peter Symſoun fleſcho^r. is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Niniane Swan, in ſtryking of him w^t. ane Irland knyfe† in throw þe cloik and in þe thie, upon þe xxix of Januare laſt; and dwme gevine þ^rupone.

[*Jameſone.*] The quhilk daye Dauid Anderſoun is decernit and ordanit, be his awinconfeſſion, to deliuer to Criſtiane Jameſone, ſpous to maiſt^r. Dauid Wemys, ane thre pund pece of gold, laid in wod be hir to him, w^tin xv dayis nixt. And þe ſaid Dauid be his ay^t. is abſolvit fra þe delyuerance of thre hogheids cravit fra him be hir.

[*Bog.*] 4 March. The quhilk daye Jonet Fary, ſpous to James Anderſoun, is fund in þe wrang, for þe wrangus breking of þe ſtaple of ane hyngand lok,

* Capadosy, a stuffed hood; Kappe, a hood; Dossin, to stuff.
† Irland knyfe, a skein or Erseh knife, a dirk.

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ptenyng to David Bog, being upone þe multo^r. kift in þe towne mylne, and taking fur^t. þ^r of of V multo^rs and thre knaiffchips* of malt; and dwme geven þ^r on, and is ordanit to repair and mend þe famyn to þe faid Dauid, and fatiffe him, fa feras ptenis him þ^r of.

[*Flemyng.*] The quhilk daye, anent þe fupplication gevin in be Matho Flemyng, bering þat he hes bene haldin in þe hie^t. tolbuy^t. in varde, be þe fpace of fo^r. wlks bipaft, for nōfulfilling of ane rolmont, at þe inftance of Alex^r. Rynd, for ane hogheid hering, ꝑce xij merkis, and hes naything to fuftene him upon, nor had bot þe almous in þe toun fen his inputting, and offerit to fueir him bair, þ^t. he hes na kynd of gudds wor^t. v^a., nor may get ony to paye þe dett, and þ^r fore defyrit relief. The baillies, eftir þe hering of þe faid complay^t., caufit þe faid defyre to be publift be Johne Vatfone offi^r., publiclie upone þe m̃cate croce, varnand all and fundry haveand entres þ^r to; and becaus nane compit to ganefay þe famyn, and þ^t. þe faid Matho inftantlie gaif his ay^t., fuerand him bayr, as faid is, and nane would fuftene him in vard, leit him ftand in þe tolbuy^t.

[*Paterfoun.*] 8 March. The quhilk daye Walter Landes baxter is decernit, of his awin confeffion, to deliuer to James Paterfoun ane pair of lang hois of blew, ane kirtill of blew clay^t., fax trunfcho^ns. and thre pewdir playtts of tyn, laid in wod to þe faid Valt^r. be þe faid James, upone fo^r. m̃ks and iiij^a. money, als gud as þai wer þe tyme of þe reffait þ^r of, and to reffaue þe faid filuer agane.

[*Cochrane.*] 11 March. The quhilk daye Williame Loutheane is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Johne Cochrane, in dowping of him in þe brieft and fpitting in his face, upon þe x of m̃che inftant; and dwme gevin þ^r on.

[*Bar.*] 15 March. The quhilk daye Patrik Bar maltman is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t. and citie of Glafgw, and hes gevin his ay^t. of fidelitie to þe toun; quhais fynes wes gevin to William Wilfon, William Michel, and Andro Gilleis, to fupport þame, quha hes thair thre hors ane ftollin and þe reft deid, conforme to ane rolmont gevin to þā be þe ꝑueft, baillies, and counfale.

[*Wallace.*] 22 March. The quhilk daye Niniane Swan is decernit and

* Multure and Knaveship, were certain quantities of the grain paid as dues for grinding, &c.

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ordanit to content and paye to Jonet Walles xlvi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$, for þe price of thre ryngs, and x$^{s.}$ for ane ſark, within xv dayis nixt; and he abſoluit fra thre pece of euidents, ane lang curſay, ane ſhort curſay, and ane wodd^{r}ſcheip, becaus he denyit þe ſamyn be his ay$^{t.}$.

XIX APRIL, MDLXXV.

THE quhilk daye Michael Gurlaw is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to James Armo$^{r.}$, in ſtreking of him w$^{t.}$ ane drawin quhinger wpone þe thowme to þe effuſioun of his blude, and þat on þe xviij daye of April inſtant; and dwme gevin þairupone: and þe ſaid Michael ſand James Lindſaye merchand, cautioner and ſouertie for his entre to an lauchful court, and to ane Justice Court, to be anſ^{r}abell to þe lawis, under þe pane of ane hundre$^{t.}$ merks, upone ane xv dayis warning.

[*Browne.*] 22 April. The quhilk daye, Thomas Normo$^{t.}$ and his wyfe ar fund in þe wrang and am̃chiament of court, for trublans done be þame to Johne Broun; firſt, þe ſaid Thomas in ſtreking of him witht ane cabir,* and ſiclik, his wyfe for ſcarting of þe ſaid Johne; and dwme gevin þ^{r}upone.

[*Gardiner.*] 26 April. The quhilk daye, William Gardiner is decernit of his awin confeſſion, to abſtene fra hokyng and holyng of ſand upon wþer mennis ꝓper landis and heritage in tymes cuming, undir þe pane of baniſment þe town.

[*Caulduell.*] 3d May. The quhilk daye, Robert Steward and Dauid Anderſon, ar decernit and ordanit of þ$^{r.}$ awin confeſſions, to content and paye to Johne Caulduell, ſumtyme cuſtumare, ane penny for þe weying of ilk ſtane of xxviij$^{xx.}$ ſtanes of Irne, w^{t}in xv dayis nixt.

[*Mureheid.*] 6 May. The quhilk daye, Alexander Scott and George Robeſoun ar decernit be þair awin confeſſioun, to clenge and mak red, to Elizabe$^{t.}$ Mureheid in Bradeiſholme, þe pece Brwme grund ſett be hir to þame, and mak

* A beam or rafter.

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ſamyn arable grund, þ^t^ it may be telit w^t^ culter and ſok, betuix and michaelmes nixtocum.

[*Polgavy.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Naſmyth^t^ and Ro^t^ Lang, ſpouſſes, ar decernit to paye to m̃ione Polgavy, xv^s^ reſtand of fie; quha allowit to þame xviij^s^, for certane clay^t^ ſtollin fra þame.

[*Gilcriſtſoun—Inglis.*] 10 May. The quhilk daye, Patrik Gilcriſtſoun is fund in þe wrang for contranenyng of þe ſtatuts of þe toun, in nõ pñting his v ſekfull of beir to þe m̃cate ſted, bot ſellyng þe ſamyn, or þe pñtyng þ^r^of: And als William Inglis, maltman, is lykwys fund in þe wrang, for huirding and reſſait of beir in his kill diuers tymes þis ȝeir laſt, abſtractand þe ſamyn fra þe m̃cate; and in cais ony beis fund heireftir in his kill, to be eſchetit upone þe ſaid Williams charge onlie, and not of þame, quhom to it ſall apptene; and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Bryſe—Gilmor—Crawfurd.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Gilm^r^, cordiner, is fund in þe wrang for trubla^s^ done be him to William Brys, in ſtreking of him on þe haffet w^t^ his neifs on þe hie gait, upone þe viij of May, inſtant; and þe ſaid William is decernit in þe wrang, for invadyng of þe ſaid Johne w^t^ ane drawin quhynger, upone þe brig of Glaſgw lang þ^r^eftir, þe ſaid daye: And als Robt Crawfurd is fund in þe wrang, for trubla^s^ done be þe ſaid Ro^t^ to þe ſaid Williame, in taking of him be þe thropill and weſand, and caſtyng of him to þe erd, and duþyng him w^t^ his feit cruellie, þe ſaid daye; and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Brokas.*] 15 July. The quhilk daye, Johne Wilſone, tailȝo^r^, is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Elizabe^t^ Brokas, in caſtyng of hir doune to þe erd, and dumping hir w^t^ his kneis, and ſkailing of hir ſybois, upone þe vi daye of July inſtant, at þe mercatt croce w^t^in þe tyme of proclama^o^n; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Lock.*] 17 July. The quhilk daye, Marione Flemyng is decernit of hir awn confeſſioun, to delyuer to Jonet Lok, ane aqua vite pot, laid in wod of xliiij^s^, three pewder plats, and ane pan in wod of xxx^d^, and twa ellis of holand clay^t^, and ane pair of lang ſlevis of worſett, upone v^s^; all w^t^in xv dayis nixt, ſcho deluerand to hir þe ſaid ſowmes of money.

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[*Will.*] 29 July. The quhilk daye, Dauid Heriot is decernit and ordanit, be þe ay^t. of ꝑtie tane, to content and paye to Thomas Will xvi^s. viij^d. for ane ſadill, and vi^s. viij^d. for ane ſpeir, w^tin xv days nixtocum.

[*Reid—Tunocht.*] 12 Auguſt. Anent þe actioun of troublās betuix George Reid, and Thomas Tuno^t., ꝑſewit for trublyng of þe towne: The Baillies be reſſone þe ſaid Thomas is lyand ſeik and ſair, and may nocht gang nor cum to Jugeme^t., continewit þe ſaid actioun in þe ſamyn forme, force, and effect, as is now, but prejudice of ꝑtie, to þe xi daye of October nixtocum, Johne Wilſone, cautioner, for þe ſaid Thomas entre as of befoir, and Andro Baillie, cautioner for þe ſaid George.

HE Court of þe bur^t. and citie of Glaſgw, in þe tolbuy^t. of þe ſamȳ be George Elphinſton, and Ar^d. Lione, baillies, þe penult of Auguſt. Dempſtar, Johne Andro.

[*Fiſcher.*] 30 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Dauid Syare, ſone to Niniane Syar, is fund in þe wrang, for trubla^s. done be him to Aleſter Fiſcher, in ſtryking of him on þe mouth w^t. his fauldit neif, upone þe xxvij of Augt. inſtant: And als Niniane Syare is in þe lykmanner fund in þe wrang, for troubla^s. done to þe ſaid Aleſt^r. be him, in caſtyng of him to þe erd, and ſtryking of him þe ſaid daye; and dwme gevin þ^rupone: And þe ſaid Aleſt^r. abſoluit fra þe ſaid Ninianes complaynt, for drawing fur^t. of his quhinger, becaus it wes ꝑvin þ^t. þe ſaid Niniane wes abone him liand þ^t. tyme, &c.

[*Anderſone.*] The quhilk daye, Dauid Calderuod is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trubla^s. done be him to James Anderſone, Miller, for ſtryking of him on þe arme w^t. þe henſill of ane eiche, and als þ^reftir invadyng of him w^t. ane ax; and dwme gevin þ^ron, and þe ſaid Da^d. orda^t. to mak amēds, and to delyuer, ane p^c. aitts ſchorn be him to þe ſaid James, w^t. ij^s. of expenſis incontinent, &c.

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XXIJ SEPTEMBER, MDLXXV.

TEM, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, ordanis þe new comone well in þe Gallogate, to be oppinit daylie in þe mornyng, and lockit at ewin, and deputis Michael Pudzane, or ſum wther to attend þ^r^to, and keip þe ſaid well and key þairof, and to haif xl^s.^ of feall þ^r^foir, for þe ſpace of ane zeir nixtocum.

Item, þai have ſtatute and ordanit þat na hukſters, coparis of ſalt, fre or unfre, nor zit ſtrengeris duelland owtw^t.^ þe toun, or unfre folks, by ony ſalt, nor nane be ſauld to þame in þe tyme of ladÿning, quhill ix ho^rs.^ of þe daye, and þ^t.^ þe haill ſalt be preſentit and bro^t.^ to þe mercat ſted, and mett þair, under þe pane of viij^s.^ þe firſt falt, xvi^s.^ þe ſecund, and eſcheting for þe thrid falt.

Item, þat þe houre of ſelling hering at þe brig, contenit in auld ſtatutes be kepit, and þe contravenaris punift conforme to þe auld ſtatuts.

Item, as anẽts þe ſupplication of þe burges ſonnys deſyring, þair fynes to be mitigat, and þai no^t.^ handlit as ſtrangers, þe ꝑueſt, baillies, and counſale, ordanis þe practik of wþir townes, as Ed^r.^ Stirlyng, ꝑth, Air, or uþis be brocht in vritt, to ſe quhat fauo^rs.^ is ſchawin þair; and þ^r^eftir þai ſall condiſcend, and decerne þ^r^anent.

[*Richeis.*] 27 September. The quhilk daye, Robert Burne, Walter Johneſoun, Johne Rankene, and Williame Dunlop, maſones, ar fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublens done be þame to Johne and William Richeis, in brekyng of ane worklume pertenyng to þame, and taking away þe reft of þair worklumes and ſtopping þame to laub^or.^, be waye of deid, þai workand at ane chop pertenyng to Johne Gilmo^r.^, cordiner, bot ony ordoure or officiare of þe toun, and dwme gevin þairupone; and ordanit to be chargit to remane in warde, quhill þai amend for þe wrang done to þe partie.

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IV OCTOBER, MDLXXV.

Proveſt.

HE quhilk daye, ane noble and potent Lord, Robert, Lord Boyde, be vertu of my lord Archbiſchopis of Glaſgwis nõination, regiſtrat in þir buiks þe laſt ȝeir, acceptit þe office, and his cõmiſſion ordanit to be maid and gevin to him for þis ȝeir to cum.

Lytis Lytit be þe proueſt, baillies, and auld counſale, to be pñtit to my lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, for nemyng of twa or thre of þame in baillies for þis ȝeir to cum, requeiſtand alwayis my lord to nõiat thre, in reſpect of þe multitude of þe peple and truble[s] in office.

George Elphinſtoun,
Maiſter Adame Walles, } auld baillies.
Archibald Lioun,
James Flemyng,
William Conynghame,
Andro Baillie,
Johne Wilſone, pewderar,
James Braiduod, cordiner.

UHILKIS lytis being preſentit to my Lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, upone þe x day of October foirſaid, and þe requeiſt maid to my lorde, he wald bot name twa perſones þ^r^of, viz.

Baillies for þis inſtant ȝeir.
William Conÿghame,
Andro Baillie.

Cõmone ꝑcurato^r^ for þis ȝeir.
My Lorde Proueſt.

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STATUTE.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, þt gif ony perſone of þe counſale happiñis to revele ony þing ſpoken or tretit in counſale, as counſale, ſallbe removit of þe counſale, and neuir in tymes cuming, to be admittit vpon þr counſale agane, bot haldin Infame, and þair fredomes callit doun.

[*Rankene.*] 11 October. The quhilk daye, James Rankene is fund in þe wrang and amerciament of court, for þe taking downe at his awin hand, of ane greit croce liand in rattonraw, pertenyng to þe toun, and þairfore is becumin in þe proueſt and baillies will; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Wilſone—Anderſon.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Wilſone, and James Anderſone, fleſchoma, burgeſſis of Glaſgw, ar fund in þe aṁchiamet and unlawis, for abſentyng þame fra þe generall wapynſchawing, haldin on þe grein, on þe x daye of October, inſtant: Thai being wtin þe towne þe ſaid daye, and cōtēptuſlie abydand þairfra; and dwme gevin þrupone.

[*Scott.*] 21 October. The quhilk daye, Johne Benyng Meſſinger, is fund in þe wrang, for trublat done be him to Marione Scott, ſpous to Archibald Hom̄ill, in ſtryking of hir on þe face, and wþer pta of hir bodie, upone þe xvi day of September laſt, and for amends, is ordanit to cum to þe m̄cat croce, on munondaye nixt, and þair upon his kneis, aſk God and hir forgiveneſs þrfore.

[*Symſone—Swan.*] 25 October. The quhilk daye, Niniane Swan is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to Marione Symſone, in ſtryking of hir wt ane tangs, and caſtyng hir doun to þe erd, upon þe xxii day of October inſtant, and ſiclik, þe ſaid m̄ione decernit for ſpitting upone þe ſaid Ninianes face þe ſaid daye; and dwme gevin þrupone.

[*Moreſoun.*] 8 November. The quhilk daye, Andro Heriot is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublans done to Dauid Moreſoun, in ſtreking of him wt his neif, in Maiſter Henry Gibſones vritting chalmer, on þe halffett, and als for þe hitting of him on his face wt his neif upone þe hie gait, and makand him bayt blaye and bludie þrwt; and þat upon þe vij day of þis inſtant, and dwme gevin: and þreftir, þe actioun and amends making, referrit to

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James Boyde, Williame Conynghame, George Elphinftoun, and Colene Campbell; and to convene þe morne, and to decreit wtin viij dayis.

[*Kyncaid.*] 29 November. The quhilk daye, Beffe Flemyng, ſpous to Johne Thomſoun, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Eufame Kȳcaid, ſpous to James Neilſon, in ſchutyng of hir doun in hir awin fyre, and caftyng of of hir curſaye to þe erd, upone þe xxvi daye of þis inftant; and dwme gevin þrupone.

[*Maklitſtare—Syare.*] The quhilk daye, in pns of William Conynghame, ane of þe baillies of Glaſgw, comperit þe parties underwritten, witht þair cautioners eftir ſpecifeit, and producit þis contract underwrittin, maid betuix þame, ſubſcriuit witht þair handis, as followis, and deſyrit þe ſamyn to be inſert in the burro court buikis of Glaſgw, to haif þe ftrentht of ane decreit of þe proueft and baillies thairof, thair authoritie to be interponit þairinto, witht executoriales to paſs þairupon in forme as effeꝛs: Quhilk deſyre þe baillie thoꝫ reſſonable, and reſauit þe ſaid contract, and ordanit þe ſamyn to be regiftrat in þe ſaid buikis, and decernit þe ſamyn to have þe ftrentht of ane decreit of þe ſaid court, &c., &c. Of þe quhilk contract, þe tenoꝛ followis:

AT Glaſgw, the penult daye of Nouember, the ȝeir of God JCD. Vc. Lxxv ȝeiris, it is appoyntit, aggreit, and finallie endit, betuix thir pties undervritten, þai ar to ſaye, Margaret Carnys, relict of umquhile Niniane McLitfter, burges of Glaſgw, and William McLitfter his ſone and aire, for thame ſelfis, and takand þe burding on thame for the remanent barneis, kyn, freynds, and allya of þe ſaids umquhile Niniane McLitfter, on that ane part, and Dauid Syare, ſone and apperand aire to Niniane Syare, ſiclik burges of Glaſgw, takand þe burding on him for þe ſaid Niniane his father, on þat wþer parte, in maner, forme, and effect as eftir followis: That is to ſaye, for ſamekle as þe ſaid Margaret Carnys, and Williame McLitfter hir ſone, for thaimſelfis, as nerreft of kyn to the ſaid umquhile Niniane, and takand the burding on thame for the ſaid umquhile Ninianes remanent barneis, and utheris, his kyn, freyndis, and allya, and partakerris quhatſumeuir, hes remittet and forgevin, as be the tenoꝛ heirof remittis, and forgevis, þe ſaid Niniane Syare þe malice and hantrent of þair hartis for þe ſlauchter of þe ſaid umquhile Niniane McLitfter, comittet and done

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be the ſaid Niniane Syare, wt quhatſumeuir actioun criminal or wtherwys þat þai had, hes, or may haif thairfor, agains þe ſaid Niniane Syare, or ony wþer his kyn, freynds, allya, affiſteris, or partakaris, and ſall hald thame as freyndiſbut rancor of myndis, ſiclik as thai wer befoir the comitting of þe ſaid ſlauchter, likas the ſamyn had neuir bene done or committet, to be put furtht of thair myndis and memories in all tymes cuming; and ſall continew in freyndſchip and amite witht the ſaid Niniane Syare, Dauid his ſone, thair kyn, freyndis, allya, affiſteris and partakeris ſiclik in tyme cuming. And farther, the ſaidis Margaret and Williame to that effect and pformance þairof, ſall ſeill, ſubſcrive, and deliuer to the ſaid Niniane Syare ane ſufficient Lettir of Slayanes,* in dew and competent forme, for the ſaid umquhile Niniānes ſlauchter of his brancheis, conforme to vſe in ſick caiſs, betuix and the firſt daye of Februare nixt, and immediatlie following the daye and dait heirof. For the quhilkis premiſs, to be done and done in maner foirſaid reſpective, the ſaid Dauid, takand the burding on him for his father, ſall caus þe ſaid Niniane his faþer to compere in the hie kirk of Glaſgw, þe xi daye of December nixtocum, and thair mak the homage and repentance for the ſaid ſlauchter, witht ſick circumſtances and cerymoneis as ſall be ordanit and devyſit be Colene Campbell and Robert Steward, burgeſſis of Glaſgw, choſin and admittit be baytht þe parteis to that effect. And ferther, the ſaid Dauid, takand þe burding as ſaid is, as principall, and Johne Schakſchaw, Dauid Hall, and James Wilſone, merchand burgeſſis of Glaſgw, ilk ane of thre for the thrid part of the ſaid ſowme underwritten, diviſim obliſt thame, thair airis, executors, and aſſignayis, to content and paye to the ſaid Margaret and William McLitſter, for thameſelfis and in thair name of þe ſaid umquhile Niniane McLitſter's remanent barnes, the ſowme of thre hundreth merkis money, in name of kynbute,† for the ſaid ſlauchter, at the termes following, viz. the equal half thairof at Vitſondaye nixt eftir the dait heirof, and the reſtand remanent of þe ſaid haill ſowme at Vitſondaye thaireftir, in þe Lx ſeuintene ȝeiris: And George Elphinſtoun of Blytiſuod, obliſs him, his airis, and aſſigt, to releve the ſaid James Wilſoun and his foirſaidis of his part of the ſaid ſowme and cautioun foirſaid; and Johne Stewarde of Bowhous obliſs him, his airs, and aſſigt, to releve the ſaid Johne Schakſchaw and Dauid Hall, and thair foirſaidis, of thair partis of the ſaid ſowme and cautioun cumyng abovewrittin, at the ſaid Margaret and Williams handis. And the ſaidis Niniane, and Dauid Syare his ſone, obliſs thame, thair airis, executors, and aſſignayis, to releif and keip skaytles

* Letters of Slains—acknowledging satisfaction to have been given for the murder of a relative.

† Reparation for sudden slaughter.

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all the cautioneris afoir writtin of the ſaid haill ſowme, at the ſaid Margaret and Williams handis. And for fulfilling heirof, the ſaidis parteis foirſaids ar content that this pñt contract be inſert in the burro court buiks of Glaſgw, to have the ſtrentht of ane decreit of þair court of þe proueſt and baillies þairof, witht executoriales to paſs þairupone in forme as effeirs. In witnes heirof, &c.

[*Huchinſoun—Moreſoun.*] 6 December. The quhilk daye, anent the mater movit be Thomas Hutchinſoun agains Dauid Moreſoun in Stokuell, for non payment making to him of ane añuelrent of five merkis money ȝeirlie, to be upliftet of þe ſaid Da^de^ tenement in Stokuelgait, wodſett be him to þe ſaid Thomas, and reſtand awing ȝeirlie be þe ſpace of five ȝeiris laſt bipaſt, extending in þe haill to tuenty-five merkis money, as at mair lentht is contenit in bill: Baytht þe parteis ꝑſonalie pñt, Comperit alſua Robert Lindſaye of Dunrod, as baillie to my Lord Sanct Johne, of þe haill tempillands, ꝓduceand his comiſſion þairupone, and be reſſon þe ſaid actioun concernis his juriſdiction, and craveand añuel of tempillands, and þe ſaid Dauid, ane teñent of my lord Sanct Johneis: Thairfore deſyrit þe ſaid Dauid to be replegit to his court and bailliarie of tempillands, and offerit cautioun of colray^t^ * to þat effect. The baillie foirſaid admittit þe ſaid Dauid to be replegit to þe ſaid baillie of tempillands court, thair þe ſaid actioun to be decydit; and to þat effect, þe ſaid tempill baillie appoyntit þe xx daye of December inſtant, for ane court to be haddin in þe ſaid Dauids hous in Stokuell, and Dauid Lindſaye eldare is becumin cautioun of colray^t^, for adminiſtra^o^n of juſtice þairinto.

OMPUTUS ROBERTI FLEMYNG THESAURARII, DE ANNO DÑI JCC. V^c^ SEPTUAGESIMO TERTIO.

[From the] Charge.

Item, þe dewities of St Roks chaplanrie, xxvij^lib.^ xvij^s^.
Item, witht fructis of Sir Robert Watſounis chaplaineris the ſaid ȝeir, xllij^lib.^ xiij^s^ viij^d^.
Item, with ane perdoun of auld, xxvj^s^ viij^d^.
Item, Sanct Johneis licht ane lib. walx iiij^s^ and iiij^s^ annuel ſumma, viij^s^.

* Coleralth—Surety given to a Court for administration of Justice, in cases like the present.

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[From the] Difcharge.

Item, þe xxij daye of Julii 1573, to Sibell Liddell, for þe out landemeris difiones, as þe rolmont beris, xlij^{s}.

Item, 4 Julii 1573, to Beffie Douglas, for þe proueft, baillies, and counfales dennaris, on Vitfontyifdaye, as þe rolmont beiris, xiij$^{lib.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, þe xxi daye of Julii, to Eufame Campbell, for ane galloun of wyne, pñtit to my Lord of Argile, as þe rolmont beris, xx^{s}.

Item, xxij daye of Julii 1573, gevin to Marione Campbell, for xvij gallownes wyne, propynit to my lord erle of Argile at findry times, as þe rolmont beris, xvij$^{lib.}$.

Item, þe penult daye of Julii 1573, for twa gallownes wyn, propynit to þe faid erle of Argile, at command of þe proueft and baillies, xl^{s}.

Item, þe third daye of Auguft 1573, to Maifter Henry Gibfone, for his expenfis in ryding to Edinburght, and remainyng þair to þe Affemblie of þe Kirk, haldin þe vj daye of Auguft, þe towne being chargit to geve wp þair rentallis be þe regents grace þairto, vi$^{lib.}$ xiij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, þe tent daye of Auguft, to ane boye to gang to Edinburght witht ane wryting to þe Comiffionar, at þe baillies command, x$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xi daye of Auguft, for þe copie of ane proclamatioun of þe raid wpone þe theifis, at þe baillies command, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xvi daye of Auguft, to ane boye to pafs to Edinburcht to þe commiffionaris, at þe baillies command, to get liciens to remane at hame, x$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xviij daye of Auguft, to Dauid Hall, for wyne propynit to my lord erle of Argile, at þe baillies command, iiij$^{lib.}$.

Item, xxii Au$^{tt.}$, geven to James Anderfoun, fermarare of þe towne mylne, doun of his ferme, be reffoun of þe greit droucht, at þe command of þe proueft, baillies, counfel, and deakyñis of þe craftis, as þe rolmont beris, xxi$^{lib.}$.

Item, 2$^{o.}$ Septembris, gevin to Robert Duncane, tabroner, at þe command of þe proueft, baillies, and counfale, as þe rolmont beris to by him clay$^{ts.}$, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, 4$^{o.}$ Septembris, gevin at þe baillies command, for ane half gallowne wyn to my lord, as þe rolmo$^{t.}$ beris, x$^{s.}$.

Item, 25$^{o.}$ Septembris, gevin for tua quartes wyne, to þe pfone of Glafgw, at þe baillies command, as þe rolmo$^{t.}$ beris, x$^{s.}$.

Item, 12 Octobris, gevin at þe command of þe baillie, for tua quarts wyne, to my lord Boyd, x$^{s.}$.

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Item, 17° Octobris, gevin to þe lord Argile, at þe command of þe baillies, for ane gallowne wyne, xx^{s}.

Item, 18° Octobris, gevin at þe baillies command for tua quartes wyne, pñtit to my lord, as þe rolmo^{t} beris, x^{s}.

Item, 28 Octobris, gevin for twa quartis wyne, pñtit to my lord of Caffilis, and ane gallowne pñtit to my lord of Glasgw, at þe baillies command, as þe rolmo^{t} beris, xxx^{s}.

Item, J^{o} Octobris, gevin and pñtit to my lord of Caithnis, ane gallowne wyne, at þe command of þe baillies, xx^{s}.

Item, secundo Nouembris, gevin to Malcum Hammiltoun, for scurgeing of ane woman throw þe town, ij^{s}.

Item, xij Nouembris, gevin and pñtit to my lord of Glasgw, quhen he wes admittit bischop, for ane gallowne of wyne, xx^{s}.

Item, 7° Septembris, gevin to Dauid Lioun, for ane pece of trie to þe knok iij^{s}.

Item, þe fyift daye of Januare, gevin to William Reid, for making of ane dask in þe hie Kirk, xxxviij^{s}.

Item, þe sevint daye of Januare, gevin to Cuthbert Herbertsoun, at þe command of þe baillies, to gett ane robo^{r}.* wyne and wþir gray^{t}, as þe rolmont beris, vi^{lib} vi^{s} viij^{d}.

Item, 22° Januarii, gevin to Cuthbert Herbertsoun, to send to Edinbur^{t} for wyne, and wþer gray^{t} as þe rolmont beris, vii^{lib} xiiij^{s} iiij^{d}.

Item, 13 Februarii, gevin to Sr Archibald Dickie, for thre saddum of tow, at þe command of Archib^{d} Lioun, baillie, ii^{s} vi^{d}.

Item, 23 Februarii, gevin to Johne Andro, for fute ballis, at þe command of þe baillies and counsale, as þe rolmo^{t} beris, xij^{s}.

Item, 20 Martii, gevin to George Elphinstoun, baillie, for þe reft of his expensis maid be him for þe Langtary as þe rolmont beris, viij^{lib}.

Item, 8 Aprilis, 1574, gevin for ane disione in Andro Baillies, to certane honest men of þe towne, þat mett sum land on Garngadhill. xv^{s}.

Item, to Thomas Cleddisdale, for þe metting þ^{r}of, ii^{s}.

Item, 8 Aprilis, gevin to Katterine Stewarde and Quintene Kaye for þe bancatt of þe seiling of þe prouests commissiõn, as þe rolmont beris, xvliij^{lib}.

Item, 8 Julii, gevin to Robert Lettrik, offi^{r}, for aqua vitie furnesit to þe bancatt, vi^{s}.

* Robor, rubor, roubbour—quantity.

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Item, xxviij Julii, to Malcome Hamiltoun, for ſcurgeing of ane theif throu þe toun, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, xxij Junii, 1575. To Patrik M^{c}quhirrie, and William Anderſoun, for tua hogheids wyne, gevin and pñtit to my lord Boyd, ꝑueſt, at þe haill townes command, xxxiij$^{l.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viii$^{d.}$.

Item, xij$^{o.}$ Auguſti, 1575. To Marioun Scott, ſpous to George Elphinſtoun, for wyne, ꝑpynit to Robert Scott, ſcrybe in Edinburt, þe tyme of his being in þis towne, vi $^{lib.}$.

Item, xv Aug$^{ti.}$, 1575, to William Anderſoun for ſix quarts wyne, ꝑpynit at ſindry tymes to my lord ꝑueſt, xl$^{s.}$.

Item, diſcharges him of Sanct Johnes licht contenit in charge, and not in uſe, iiij$^{s.}$.

Item, 8$^{o.}$ Novemb$^{r.}$, 1575, gevin be the proueſtis letter, at the command of Williame Conÿghame, baillie, to certane cairtaris for careing of aucht hogheids wyne, ꝑtenyng to my lord Regentis G., ſend to him be þe toune of Aire, to my lord Angus' Mariage, and for taking of þame to the Quenis fary, out of þis toun; in all, xx $^{lib.}$.

Item, defalkit and allowit to the comptare, be the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, as tane wp and reſſauit fra him be the Lard of Mynto, allegeand for his fie immediatlie befoir the Michaelmes, þat he paſt fur$^{t.}$ of his office of proueſtrie, xiij $^{lib.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viii$^{d.}$.

X JANUARY, MDLXXV.

COMPUTUS QUONDAM ANDREÆ RICHIE, THESAURARII, DE AÑO DNI MILLESIMO QUINGENTESIMO SEPTUAGESIMO QUARTO.

[From the] Diſcharge.

Item, the comptaris diſcharges þame in the firſt, for the outlandemeris diſione on Vitſonetyiſdaye, as the rolmont beris, xliiij$^{s.}$.

Item, the ſamyn daye for the proueſt, baillies, and counſales dennaris in James Boyds houſe, conforme to ane rolment þairanent, x $^{lib.}$.

Item, for twa quartis of wyn ſeck to þe dẽnare, xxvi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, to Macolme Hamilton, for ſcurgeing of ane thief callit McKenze, ij$^{s.}$.

Item, 18$^{o.}$ Junii, 1575. To William Stewarde of Bultreis, in ꝑt of payment

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of his ouregeving and kyndnes of þe denys hous, to þe proueſt and towne, v lib.

Item, viij Octobris, to Chriſtiane Buchquhanane, for ane q^t. of aquavite xxiiij^s. and to Robert M^r. for vi buiſts of ſcrotcherts and confets q^lk. wes pñtit to my Lord Duke of Chatellerault in þis town, Li^s.

Item, þe ſaid daye, be vertu of ane rolment at þ^r. commands gevin to þe towne mẽſtrales, ſamekle blew clay^t. as to by tua coitts, and for crãmoſy* to be þe townes armes to be put þ^r.on, and for making þ^r.of, extending in haill to, iiij lib. xv^s.

Item, to Johne Gib at command of the proueſt and baillies, to ſupport his pouertie, half ane burges fynes, viz., þe ſowme of, v lib.

Item, þe xxii Februarii, to George Elphinſtoun, for his expenſis in ryding to Ed^rt., to keep the firſt law daye, betuix ws and Ruglyn. [For the ladill.] vi lib. xiij^s. iiij^d.

Item, the ferd daye of Marche, to Alex^r. Lindſaye, for rynning to Ed^r. to my lord proueſt, about the hardheidis,† x^s.

Item, to Johne Scherare, meſſinger, for þe copeis of the acts and pclamations of beggaris, Vapinſchawingis, and diſchargeing of daggis, vi^s. viij^d.

Item, þe xx^a. Maii, for twa quartes wyne pñtit to my lady Argile, as the rolmont beris, xiij^s. iiij^d.

Item, for ane Irne chimnaye to the counſalehous, iiij lib. vi^d.

Item, to James Law, for þe thre lintall ſtanes to þe boiſs windois, xij^s.

Item, for wyre to þe bois wyndois, xv^s. vi^d.

Item, at þe baillies command to Thomas Downy, for inputting of þe ſchoſcheheid,‡ v^s.

Item, for ane pchement ſkyn to Ro^t. M^r. to cover þe ſcoſche, iij^s. vi^d.

Item, quinto Novembris, for j q^rt. aill, ane laiſ, and tua greit candle to þe tolbuy^t., ij^s. iiij^d.

Item, to þe offi^rs. at þe baillies command, for dowking of Jonet Fawſide, xl^d.

Item, for ane pund of Lattoun§ to be merks to þe pure folk, þe tyme of þe peſt, vij^s.

Item, to James Speir, for erdyng of ane boye þ^t. deit in þe Lonyng, at þe baillies command, v^s.

* French—Cramoisi—from Kermes, an Arabic word, denoting the worm bred in the Coccus from the juice of which the dye for cloth is made.

† A small copper coin.—See Knox's History and Pinkerton's Essay on medals.

‡ Schoesche, or Sweesche, the Town's *Drum* (not a Trumpet as stated in Jamieson's Dictionary).—See Pitcairn's Criminal Trials, vol. II. p. 30, note.

§ A mixed kind of metal.

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Item, for an coill riddill to þe tolbuyt, xiiijd.

Item, to Martene Pettigrew, for hynging of þe pallioun* in þe counſalhous at þe baillies command, xxd.

Item, on ſaftrinis ewin at Ard. Liones command to ane fule wt. þe treyn ſwerd, xviijd.

Item, þe ſaid daye, to þe pyper callit Ryall Dayis for playing, xviijd.

Item, to Johne Andro for ſax futballis, xijs.

Item, for þe copie of ane act publiſt anẽts þe plaks and hardheids, xijd.

Item, to Alexr. Lindſaye, at Ard. Liones cõmand, to ryn to ſe how neir my lord Ergyles pece wes, xviijd.

Item, for making wp of þe haill portis of þe town, þe tyme þt. þe peſt wes eiſt, and for keeping of þe portis to þe portars ane greit ſpace, and for þe making of þe calſaye of þe ſculehous wynd, as þe ꝑticular cõpt examinat be þe auditors buyr, Lxvi lib. xvs.

Item, allowit to the comptare for tinſell and inlaik be reſate of hardheids cryit doun, Liijs. iiijd.

[*Brewhous.*] 11 January. The quhilk daye, in pñs of þe proueſt, Archibald Brewhous, Smyt., is decernit and ordanit of his awin confeſſion, and conſent to abſent himſelf furt. of burt. and baronie of Glaſgw, and to be baniſt thairfra in tyme cuming, for þe crymes committit be him induryng the proueſtis will, and is content, incais he be fundin and apphendit within the ſame in tymes cuming, but licience of the proueſt, that he be hangit to the deid, but aſſiſe or ȝit dwme; and is licenſit to remane xlviij hor., to mak red of his geir, &c.

[*Boyde.*] 9 January. The quhilk daye, in pñs of Williame Conỹghame, bailie, Williame Hegait, and Johne Grhame, burgeſs of Glaſgw, ar decernit and ordanit of thair awin ꝑper confeſſions, coniunctlie and ſeueralie as cautioners, and ſouerties for Elizt. Hamiltone, lady Trehorne, to content and paye to Margaret Boyde, dochtir to ane noble and potent lord Robert, Lord Boyde, the ſowme of ane hundreth punds money, betuix and the feiſt of Vitſondaye nixtocum, in the hie kirk of Glaſgw, prouiding that gif the ſaids cautioners, or ony of thame contentis and payis to the ſaid Margaret, the ſowme of ane hundreth merkis money, aucht dayis befoir þe ſaid feiſt and terme of Vitſondaye, it ſall ſtand and be sufficient payment for the ſaid hundreth punds, and this act to be na furder extendit, bot to be null in all tymes cuming thairefter, (payment) being maid of the ſaid hun-

* Pailliouu Pavilion—Jamieson.

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dreth merks in the hie kirk of Glasgw, aucht dayis befoir the said feist, and payment nocht being maid quhill the said feist, the said haill hundreth punds to be payit, and this act to have full execu^n in Vitnes of the quhilk thing, the said cautioneris hes subscriuit þis act w^t thair hands, daye, ȝeir, and place foirsaid; followis the subscriptiounes, Williame Hegait witht my hand; Johne Grhame witht my hand.

HE Heid Court eftir ȝule, haldin in þe tolbuy^t of the samyn, be ane noble and potent Lord, Robert Lord Boyde, proueſt of Glasgw, and Williame Conynghame, ane of the baillies of the samyn, the xvij daye of Januare, þe ȝeir of God JCD. V^c. Lx fystene ȝeiris. The suttis callit; the Court confermit. Demstare, James Speir, poyndare.

Absentes of þe Counsale.
Johne Clerk,
Cuthbert Herbertsoun.
[*Lepir.*] Matho Sellare,
Petir Tybir.

[*Scab.*] Williame Hegait hes four scabbit hors, Robert Stewarde hes ane scabbit hors.

[*Suyne.*] The occupearis of þe town mylne lands haldis aucht suyne on the comone. Johne Browne in Drygaitt, hes ane suine gangand on the gait.

[*Patersoun.*] 27 January. The quhilk daye Margaret Glen, spous to Williã Crawfurd, is decernit and ordanit to deliuer to Johne Patersoun and his spous, ane mask salt, ane troche stane, ane foure galloun, and ane tre þat þe caldroun hingis on, intromittit w^t be hir pertenyng to þame, incontinent, w^t of expensis.

[*Stirlyng—Normo^t.*] 14 February. The quhilk daye Johne Stirlyng buttirman, and Thomas Normo^t, ar fund in þe wrang, for contravening þe statuts of þe towne, þe said Johne in hyding of his buttir in housis, selland þe samyn in grit quantitie, no^t pũtand þe samyn to þe mũcate; and þe said Thomas for huyrding of fowles in grit quantite in his hous, not pũtit to þe mũcate: and dwme gevin þ^rupon.

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[*Cochrane.*] 2 March. The quhilk daye Margaret Blakburne, ſpous to Archi^d. Stene, is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublās done be hir to Johne Cochrane, in ſtopping, at hir awin hand, but ordo^r., of him to ſchule his fulȝe, and taking doun of ane litle dyk of his in þe middīgſted; and he abſoluit fra ony trublās allegit be hir.

Salmond.

IT is condeſcendit be þe proueſt, baillie, and counſale, for obſeruing of þe Saboth daye, that na ſalmō^t be tane, nor ſalmond cobles be lauborit nor vſit for taking þ^rof, upone þe Sondayis in tyme cōmyng, within þe fredome of þe towne, or be þe inhabitantis þ^rof; providing þat þe haill cobles on þe watt^r. of Clyde, bur^t and land, do þe lyk and keip þe ſamyn, els nō.

[*Layng.*] 9 March. The quhilk daye Robert Layng ſadler is abſoluit fra thre pair ſchets, vi lȳnyng ſerviets, twa of dornik, ſax codvers, ane dreſſing knyfe, ane coverīg of ane bed, ane bowſt^r., ane tāgs, ane ladle, twa budgalis, ane duche harnes barrell,* ane half berrall, and ane treyn plait, cravit fra him be Matho Lāg, becaus þe ſaid Matho failȝeit in ꝑving þ^rof; and als þe ſaid Robt. deponit he reſſauit not þe ſamyn, nor mellit þ^rw^t; and Ro^t is decernit, of his confeſſioun, to delyuer to þe ſaid Matho ane frying pan.

[*Greynſchelis—Tennand.*] 27 March. The quhilk daye Dauid Greynſchelis and Thomas Gilchirſoun his ſouertie, Johne Symſoun, George Tennand his ſouertie, Johne Thomſoun and Andro Thomeſoun his ſouertie, ar fund in the wrang, and ilk ane of thame, and amerchiament of court, for ſelling of thair meill in houſes, and nocht preſentyng of the ſamyn to the mercatt on Sondaye laſt, and þ^r. cautioneris unlawit for nō preſentyng thame to this day, as thai þ^t wer cautioun to that effect; and dwme gevin thairupone.

[*Fawſide—Aitkin.*] The quhilk daye Johne Fawſyde and Allan Aikin ar fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court ilk ane of þame, for foirſtalling of the mercatt, in ſuffering meill to be mett in thair houſſis on Sondaye laſt; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

* A barrel that has a lid.

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[*Schaw.*] 30 March. The quhilk daye Petir Lymburner is decernit be his ay^{t}, referrit þairto be Sr George Brownſyde p^{r} for þe pty, to paye and deliner to Johne Schaw ȝounger of Haly, ane īgalt of gold of twa crownes, and ane quart^{r} croune, wecht of unicorne gold,* or þe avale þ^{r}of, w^{t}in xv dayis nixt.

[*Mayne.*] April 3. The quhilk daye Margaret Mayne, be hir aitht referrit þ^{r}to, is abſoluit fra ane ſtane we^{t}, ane half ſtane wecht, ane quart^{r} ſtane wecht, all of leid, ane braſſin half pund, w^{t} ane pair of weyis balkis w^{t} brodds, ane ſpeir, and ane taffill† burde, cravit fra hir be Gabriel Rākyn, as allegit reſtand of his airſchip guddis undeliuerit, and pmiſt to delyuir þame at þe diſcharge making, be reſſone ſcho denyit þe ſāmyn be hir ay^{t}.

[*Poynder.*] 13 April. The quhilk daye James Speir is maid Poynder for þis inſtant ȝeir, and hes gevin his ay^{t} for uſing þ^{r}of, and hes fund Dauid Lyndſaye elder ſoūtie for him þ^{r}fore, and is content, gif he latts þe beiſts þat he poyndis awaye, but ſatiſfaction of pty, to ly in þe ſtokks xxiv ho^{r}s.

[*Hirdis.*] The quhilk day Petir Aikin is maid overtown hird, and Thomas Tempiltoun hes tane þe nethir toun ky, for þis pnt ȝeir, and George Herbertſoun is becumin cautioner for þe ſaid Petir, and James Flemyng is cum cautioun for þe ſaid Thomas, þ^{t} þai ſall lelelie and treulie exerce þ^{r} office. And þai have diſchargit þe feall þ^{t} þai had fur^{t} of þe comone purs for þis ȝeir.

[*Cadder—Eiſtoun—Jamieſoun.*] 20 April. The quhilk daye James Cadder in Edinbur^{t}, Florens Eiſtoun and George Jameſoun in Lȳlȳ^{t}gow, being accuſit for regrating and foirſtalling of þe mercatt, in bying of ſkynnis and hydis, viz. þe ſaid James for bying of twa hydis and ane ſtirk hyde in Govane, and the ſaid Florens for bying of tod ſkynnis in the toune, and the ſaid George for bying of ſkyñis in the toun, cum in will þ^{r}fore; and þai decernit ilk ane in ane unlaw of viij^{s}.

[*Galbray^{t}.*] 4 May. The quhilk daye Robert Galbray^{t} in Ed^{r}, being accuſit for contravening þe ſtatuts of þe toun, in foirſtalling and regrating of þe mercatt, paſſand to Govane, and metand ane holand boit cumand to þe toun, and byand fre þā, being unfremen, vij daker hyds,‡ staple guddis, come in þe baillies will þ^{r}fore, and Robt M^{r} m̄chand, is becum̄in cautioun for fulfilling þ^{r}of.

* A denomination of gold coin, struck in Scotland in James III.'s reign.

† Taffil or Taifie, a Table—Su. G. Tafwel-bord, a Dice-table. ‡ Daker—a decade, *i. e.* ten hydes.

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[*Rofs.*] 17 May. The quhilk daye, in pñs of þe baillies and counſale, William Roſs being accuſit as ane vagabund and idle beggar, conforme to þe act of ſecreit counſale, and atto^r., in his ſornyng, for cuming to Maiſter Andro Hayis hous, on Monondaye at ewin laſt, and thair, nane beand in bot his wife and nureis, for ſtriking of þe nureis under þe palp w^t. ane knyfe, confeſſit the falt and become in the baillies will þairfore, and is decernit to abſent him fur^t. of bur^t. and baronie of Glaſgw, and gif he be fund thair but licenſe of the proueſt or baillies, to be hangit but dwme; and als ordanit to be ſcurgit throw the toun, the morne at ix hors.

XXIJ MAY.

HE proueſt, baillies, and counſale, upone þe xxvij daye of April, 1575, gaif, grantit, and ſubſcriuit to Robert Stirlyng, ſone to Johne Stirlyng of Lettir, ane gift of þe annuellis and prebendary in Newkirk, laſt poſſeſt by umquhile Niniane Lyon, for his ſuſtentation at þe ſcholes, during þe ſpace of five ȝeirs nixt following at þe requeiſt of my lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw.

[*Adame—Spang.*] 15 June. The quhilk daye, Johne Adame burges of Edinbur^t., is decernit be probatioun of famous witnes, to reſſave fra Margaret Spang, ane of hir barnis of Williame Adames, and wphald and ſuſtene þe ſam bairne, in meitt, claithe, and wther neceſſ^ra. on his expenſs, conforme to his promeis quhill the lawfull and perfyt aige thairof, and mak hir cumirles* of þe ſam.

STATUTE.

NE conventioun, haldin in the blakfreir kirk of Glaſgw, the xxi day of Junii, the ȝeir of God, JCD. V^c. Lx ſaxtene ȝeires, be ane noble and potent Lord, Robert Lord Boyde, proueſt of Glaſgw, Williame Conynghame, and Andro Baillie, bailȝeis, haill counſale deakyñis of craftis, and maiſt part of the haill communitie thairof: Thair wes preſentit ane bill and ſupplica^on of the teno^r. following:

* Cummirles—Cumberless, *i. e.* free of the burden.

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Y Lord proueſt, baillies, and counſale of this gud towne, wnto your L. and wiſdomes ry^t. humelie menis and ſchawis, Ve the haill deaconis and cõite of this gud toun: That quhair be the ſpace of aucht ȝeiris laſt bipaſt, or thairby the haill cõitie of the towne, wes eftir lang adwyſement, condiſcendit be thair cõmone conſent to ſet ane pairt of oure cõmoun muris amangis ourſelfis, ilk ane proportionalie, half ane aker, and of ſik grund that wes unprofitable for paſturing of our gudis; quhilk was not attemptat, nor tane on hand, but the conſent of the haill toune at the Sȳmerhill, conwenand as wes the gud ordo^r. tane thairupone: Bot ſenſyne allace we lament that ſindrye ſewerall peces of oure cõite, quhilk wes no^t. to be ſparit for halding of our gudds, and the pure of the towne, ar gevin and ſet furtht to ſum particularis be your L. proueſt and baillies, and certane of counſale, but foir advyſement, or ȝit conſent of the cõitie and deaconis, quha hes thair wottis to the great damnage of ws, the haill toune, and õr eftircumãris: And ȝit daylie mair and mair throw particulare ſuttis of ſyndre, perſwadand ȝo^r. L. wyſedomes, we ſe the ſamyn to continew: And ȝe anis condiſcendand that oure deaconis wotis ar ſocht ſewerallie in private houſſis, quhair the haill ſuld be callit to geve o^r. conſentis togidder: And ſum throw ignorance or perſwatioun may conſent by oure myndis, quhilk is far by the ordo^r. or mynd of o^r. townſchip that hes Ee to the cõmone weill; and ȝit, in lykmaner, fearis that the lyk be ſocht be ſyndry particulars of ſum pairts of o^r. cõitie: Quhilk we altogidder diſaſſentis fra, and proteſtis befoir God, þat gyve ȝowr L. and wiſdomes will not ſtay nor hauld abak ȝour hand fra ſettyng ony forder, that it be in ȝo^r. wyte, þat we and o^r. antceſſo^rs, that we want the paſturing of guddis, for the ſuſtening of o^r. babies: Thairfore we deſyre ws, that is deaconis, to be amendit to, for nocht awayſing* withe ws, and ſuffering our counſale, and reſſonyng in tymes bigane: And prayis for þe luf ȝe beir to God, and þe cõmone weill of our toune, and o^r. ſucceſſo^rs, that yor. L. haif better attendance thairto, and no^t. for ewery licht ſute or requeiſt
or grant thairto, and ſuffer no^t. o^r. haill cõitie to becum proper, and be tane fra us, bot to mak ſic ſufficient actes thairfore, as ȝour L. and wyſdomes ſall think maiſt expedient for the keiping of gud ordoure in tymes cuming: And ȝour L. and wiſdomes anſ^r. ry^t. humelie we beſeik, &c.

Eftir the reding quhair of and reſſonyng wpone the contentis thairof, be digeſt, avyſement, and mature deliberatioun, it wes condiſcendit, aggreit, and ſtatute, and

* Advising.

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ordanit be the ſaidis proveſt, baillies, counſale, deakonis of the haill craftis, and maiſt pairt of the comunitie of the ſaid towne being preſent; in reſpect that thair comoun muris ȝit left wndeilt and ſett furthe, will ſcarcelie ſerue the tounefchip for halding of thair guddis, and furnefing fewall neceſſ^r^, and that ane gret pairt thairof, is ellis ſet furthe in particular: That na mair pairt nor portioun of thair ſaid comoun muris ſal be in na tymes cuming ſet nor gevin in few, to ony perſoun or perſonis, bot to ly ſtill in comunitie to the weill of the haill tounſchip, ſecludand and ſuſpendand thame and thair ſucceſſo^rs^ fra contrawening heirof, and of this ſtatut breking, in tymes cuming: declarand in cais the ſamȳ heireſtir be nocht obſeruit, that the fewing, ſetting, and doing incontrare this ſtatute, to be of nane awaill, ſtrenthe, nor effect, bot null in the ſelf for ewer.

STATUTE—APUD SYMMERHILL DIE XXIIIJ MENSIS JUNII, ANNO DÑI, &c., LXXVJ.

ITEM, it is ſtatute be the baillies, counſall, and commountie, that thair be ane calf hird, conducit to keip the calfis wpone the grein, furthe of ſcaythe; wtherwayis gif þai be fundin in ſcaythe, to be pundit; and als ordanis þame þat hes þe freir land in þe brumilaw, to bige þe weir for halding furthe of þe beiſtis.

Item, it is deſyrit and condiſcendit on be the comowntie, þat ilk ſtranger þat cumis, and deſyris to be burges in tymes cuming, ſall paye of burges fynes, twenty merks money.

Item, þat all burges ſones of the toune, thair fathers being on lyf, or ony tyme thaireſtir, to paye of fynes, ilk perſon, fyve pund only; but preiudice to the eldeſt as burges air, to be handelit, conforme to uſe and wont.

Item, þat ilk perſoun þat ſall happin to mary burges dochteris, being madenis, and no^t^ mareit of befoir, to paye of burges fynes, fyve pundis money only.

And thir to be reſonit befoir the proueſt: And gif he conſentis thairto, to be concludit, and endit wther wayis nocht.

[*Snodgers.*] 31 July. The quhilk daye, Adame Steinſoun is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Nicol Snodgers, in hitting of him with his feit on þe wamb, in pns of þe offi^rs^ chargeand him to anſwer to þe ſaid Nicol; and dwme gevin þairupone.

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[*Gibſoun.*] 3 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Johne Shakſchaw being pſewit, as air and execut^or. to umquhill William Schakſchaw, be Marione Gibſoun, for delyuerance of þir guddis under Vrittin, viz., ane kiſt wor^t. xxx^s., ane ſpinnyng quheill, ane Irne cruik, ane kettill of viij pyntis, ane braſſin pot, ane ſpouſing ring, twa peudir plaits wor^t. vi mk xiij^s., allegit delyuerit and ſett in keiping be hir, in þe ſaid Williames houſs, and þair poſſeſſioun, and þe ſamyn being referrit to þe ſaid Johnes ay^t. quha denyit þe ſamyn, and thairfoir is abſoluit ſimpl^r., &c.

[*Watſoun—Leiche.*] 7 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Aleſoun Watſoun, ſpous to Arch^d. Crawfurd, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublā^s. done be hir to Marioun Leiche, ſpous to William Wilſoun, in caſting dirt at hir, and fyling of hir thairwithe: And lykwys þe ſaid Marioun is fund in the wrang for doing the lyk to hir; and dwme gevin thairupone.

[*Quhytfurd.*] The quhilk daye, Archibald Quhytfurd, is fund in ane wrang, for diſobeying of þe watt^r. officiar, in no^t. ſerving þe toun w^t. his herring, maiſterfullie; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Broun.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Broun is fund in the wrang and amchiament of court, for þe wrangous entering in Archibald Grayis hous, but his licience, and kenlyng fyr thairinto at his awin hand, but þe ſaid Archibaldes licenſe; and dwme gevin thairupon.

[*Kerſuell.*] 21 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, John Lekþvik, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Allane Kerſuell, in ſtrykking of him w^t. ane ſting,* and bludyng of him on þe heid; and dwme gevin þairupone, and als is abſoluit fra þe ſaid Johnis bill: And þe mendis referrit be conſent of ptie, to Johne Wys, and Johne Hamilton, ſmy^t., Johne Blakuod, and Johne Wilſoun, and to cõwein in þe tolbuithe þis daye viij dayis, to þ^t. effect, Johne Blakuod, cautioun for Johne Lekþvik, Johne Wys, cautioun for Allane Kerſuell.

* A pole, but usually applied to an instrument used in thatching.

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HE ACCOUNT OF THE TREASURER FOR THE YEAR, 1575.

[*The Dischargе and Exoneratione.*]

Item, the compter exoneris him firſt for þe outlandemeris diſjone, on Vitſontyiſdaye, in þe morning, 24 May, 1575, as þe rolmont beris, xlvi$^{s.}$.

Item, for þe proueſt, baillies, counſall, and wther honeſt meñis deñar in James Boydis hous, on Witſontyiſdaye, as þe rolmont beris, xvi$^{lib.}$.

Item, xxvij of Maij, 1574, for row lattoun,* to be m̃ks to þe pure folk, iij$^{s.}$ iij$^{d.}$.

Item, the viij^{o} Junii, 1575, gevin to Johne Gib, be vertu of ane rolmont, for þe maill of þe hous, quhair þe com̃one tymber lyis, for þe ȝeir to cum, xl$^{s.}$.

Item, xi Junii, 1575, to Quentyne Kaye, for þe baillies, counſale, and wtheris diſjone, þat þis daye paſt to viſee þe faltis done in þe com̃one, about þe haill partis, conforme to þe rolmont, iiij$^{lib.}$.

Item, quinto Julii, to Macolm Ham̃iltoun, for ſcurgeing of ane theif callit Blakuo$^{d.}$ at þe baillies com̃and, ij$^{s.}$.

Item, to ane lawde, to kepe þe deynſyde well, and j ſchenze,† viij$^{d.}$.

Item, xv Julii foirſaid, be ane rolmont to þe offi$^{rs.}$, for certane wyne ꝓpynit to the proueſt in Bedlaye and Glaſgw, iij$^{lib.}$ xiij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, penultimo Julii, 1575, to Laurens Contañ, be ane rolment to ſupport him, for þe hurtyng of his hand at þe well in Gallowgait, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, v Augufti, be ane rolment to Robert Ottirburne, meſſinger, for ane byble, conforme to his charge, as þe cuntray dois, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, viij Septembris, to Malcolme Ham̃iltoun, be ane rolmont for ſchurgeing of ane wod huſſy throu þe towne, v$^{s.}$.

Item, xv daye þairof, to Johne Wilſoun, be vertue of ane rolmont, for his laubo$^{rs.}$. and expenſis maid be him in awating on þe wellis, and als in compleit payment of his expenſis maid in Air, awating att þe biſchopis command for þe kirk mending, vi$^{lib.}$ xiij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, xviij daye þairof, to George Elphinſtones vyfe for thre pyntis wyne ſek propynit to þe biſchop, and thre pyntis to my lord proueſt, be ane rolmont, xl$^{s.}$.

Item, xxij daye þairof, be vertu of ane rolmont to James Anderſone, offi$^{r.}$, for thre

* A kind of mixed metal. † One Chain.

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pyntis of wyne ſek, and tua quartis Burdious wyne, ſend to James Boyds hous, to þe proueſt ſundry tymes, xxxiij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, xiij October, to Alexander Lindſaye, be ane rolmont, to gang to Stirling witht ane bill, to ſee þe wecht of þair breid, v$^{s.}$.

Item, þe ferd daye þairof (Novem$^{r.}$), be vertu of ane rolmont to Thomas Craige of þe newkirk ſcule, for ſtraye to þe mending þairof, and for onputting of þe ſamyn, xxiij$^{s.}$.

Item, quinto Decembris, to Dauid Anderſoun, to ryde to Dumbartane, to by ſalt and wyn fra Johne Neill in Air, now in þe raid of Dumbartane, xiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xij daye þairof, to Alexander Lindſaye, at þe proueſt and baillies comand, to ryn to Edinburght withe þe fundatioun buik of þe new kirk, in S$^{r.}$ Johne W^{t}hirſpwnes caus, x$^{s.}$.

Item, for ane ſkyn to beir it in to hald it dry, iiij$^{s.}$.

Item, vi$^{to.}$ Decembris, to Dauid Anderſoun, James Anderſoun, Maiſter Henry Gibſone, for ryding to Dūbartane, and avating þair iij dayis, for calling of Johne Neill and his ſourties, for copping of ſalt in þe ryver and wtheris, as þe rolmont be$^{rs.}$, vi$^{lib.}$.

Item, on þe xvi daye þairof, to ane boye of Dumbartane, for turſing of ane bill, and þe anſ$^{r.}$ doun again, at þe baillies comand, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Alexander Lindſaye, for his poſting in þe ny$^{t.}$ to Edinburcht at þe baillies comand, becaus of his ſurſett trawell, x$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xx daye of December, to George Elphinſtone, for half ane twn wyne propynit to my lord proueſt, be vertue of ane rolmont, xxxiij$^{lib.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, xxi daye þairof, for carying of þe half twn to þe proueſt, iij$^{s.}$.

Item, þe xxiiij daye of December, to þe baillies and cūpany þat paſt doun in þe ny$^{t.}$ to Johne Neillis ſchip, for iiij$^{lib.}$ pulder xl$^{s.}$, for iij$^{lib.}$ leid iij$^{s.}$, twa burdene of ſtrae iiij$^{s.}$, for hyre of þe boit, and for rolling hir and bringing wp þe ſalis, xxx$^{s.}$, for bringing þe ſalis fra þe watter to þe tolbuy$^{t.}$ iij$^{s.}$, extending in haill, as þe rolmont beris, to, iiij$^{lib.}$.

Item, for þe barell þat þe pulder wes in, xviij$^{d.}$.

Item, xxvi daye of December, to George Elphinſtoun, for his expenſis, in ryding to my lord Regentis grace, anēt Johne Nelis ſchip, as þe rolmont beris, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, þe laſt of December, to Johne Charto$^{rs.}$ baniſt man, att þe proueſt, baillies, and counſales comand, to help to lous his ſuerd, xxx$^{s.}$.

Item, þe firſt daye of Januare, 1575-6, to ane boy to ryn to Dumbartane to caus þe baillies thairof to cum wp, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, for candill tane doun in þe boit be þe baillies to þe ſchip, ii$^{s.}$.

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Item, to ane boy to ryn in þe ny^t. to Dūbartañ, to caus þe baillies and þair clerk to cum on the morne, at þe baillies comānd, iij^s.

Item, þe xx daye of Janua^r., to George Elphinftoun, as deburfit be him for vyne drunkin in Johne Nelis fchip, quhen þe baillies ȝed doun, as þe rolmont beris, Lv^s.

Item, likwys to William Anderfoun, for aill, aquavitie, and quheit breid, furneift be him at þe famyn tyme, as þe rolmont beris, Lvij^s. iiij^d.

Item, þat famyn daye, be vertue of ane rolmont, and comānd of þe proueft, baillies, and counfale, to Maifter Adame Walles, for his laubo^rs. gretumlie done and fuftenit in þe townes neceff^rs, as þe rolmont beris, xx^lib.

Item, for mendyng of þe lok of þe Counfalhous dur, quhen Niniane Syare wes wardit, at þe Maifter of Works command, xxx^d.

Item, for þe mendyng of þe lok of þe hey^t. hous, þat wes brokin be ane thief, at þe Maifter of Works command, xxx^d.

Item, for þe making of þe bandis to þe tolbuy^t. dur, ii^s.

Item, for xij lib. danfkyn Irne, þat wes þe bandis, xi^s. ix^d.

Item, for Irne work to þe quhelis of þe comōne well, to ftope þe cordis to cum furthe of þe quhelis, at þe Maifter of Works comānd, xiv^s.

Item, to Johne Stobo, for ane laid of colis brynt in þe counfalhous, at þe firft hering of Andro Richeis compt, xx^d.

Item, for ane wther laid colis brint before Loukis mes,* xx^d.

Item mair, for v laid colis at findry wþer twa tymes, fpendit in þe counfalhous about Lukiffmes,* viij^s. viij^d.

Item, for iij laids of peittis, ii^s.

Item, to ane boy þat fuld have rwn to Edinburche, at William Conȳghame baillies comānd, ii^s.

Item, þe xv daye þ^rof (March) to þe barrow men at þe Maifter of Works comānd, for bering of þe ftanes þat fell aff þe Blakfreir kirk, xiiij^s.

Item, þe ferd of April 1576, to William Conȳghame and Maifter Adame Walles, as deburfit be þame for making fupplica^ons to havê been gottin, for abyding fra radis,† xiij^s. iiij^d.

Item, at comand of Andro Baillie, for fcurgeing of Babay,‡ xl^d.

Item, for fcurgeing of Rofs, þat hurt þe pfone of Renfrewis muris, as vagabund, xl^d.

* Lukesmas.

† Properly an invasion or incursion, but here used as a riding to a Parliament or Convention.

‡ This seems to be an "alias" of some "notour" offender of the time.

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Item, for ane coird to bind him, xii^{d}.

Item, to ane boye to ryn to Edinburghe, at þe baillies command, to þe proueſt, to ſee quhat ſuld be done anent þe bulzeon, xij^{s}.

Item, þe xxviiij daye þairof (May) be vertue of ane rolmont, to Eufame Campbell for vij q^{rts} wyne ꝓpynit to my lord proueſt, as þe rolmont beris, xlij^{s}.

Item, primo Junii, 1576, be ane rolmont, to Eufame Campbell, for twa quartis vyne, propynit to my lord Glencarne, and twa q^{r}ts pñtit to þe laird of Drumquhaffill. Sua. xxiiij^{s}.

Item, ix^{to} eiuſdem, to Eufame Campbell, be ane rolmōt, for xiiij quartis vyne propynit to my lord proueſt befoir Witſondaye laſt, iiij^{lib} iiij^{s}.

Item, to hir for j gallown preſentit to my lord biſchop of Glaſgw, xxiiij^{s}.

Item, for vi pyntis preſentit to my lord proueſt, to Bedlaye upon Witſondaye, to Eufame Campbell, as þe rolmont be^{rs}, xviij^{s}.

Item, to þe quareo^{rs}, at þe maiſter of works comand, for wynning of fo^{r} hundrethe dra^{t} of quhȳnis to þe calſaye, ix^{lib} vi^{s} viij^{d}.

Item, to Matho Miller and James Conynghame, for leding þairof to þe Drygait, quhair þai ȝit ly in carne, viij^{lib}.

Item, be vertu of ane rolmont, gevin be þe baillies and counſale to Eufame Campbell, for ane bankat maid to þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, and wtheris dekȳnis and honeſt men, at comand of þe baillies, x dayis befoir Witſondaye laſt in the Lxxvi ȝeir, xxiij^{lib}.

Item, to þe proueſt, for his fie, xx^{lib}.

Item, to Williame Conynghame, baillie, x^{lib}.

Item, to Andro Baillie, baillie, for his fie, x^{lib}.

Item, to þe Clerk, for his fie, x^{lib}.

Item, to þe Maiſter of work, for his fie, x^{lib}.

Item, to þe theſaurer compter, for his fie, x^{lib}.

Item, to Maiſter Richert Strang, our advocat in Edinbur^{t}, his fie, vi^{lib} xiii^{s} iiij^{d}.

Item to Johne Govane, his ſ^{r}uitor, of drynk filuer, xx^{s}.

Item, to þe hirdis, for þair fies, v^{lib}.

Item, to þe poynder for his fie, xxvi^{s} viij^{d}.

Item, to Sr Archibald Dickie, for keping of þe knok, Liij^{s} iiij^{d}.

Item, to Sr Robert Watſoun, for his tak, xxvi^{lib}.

Item, to Johne Foular, collecto^{r} of þe uniuerſitie, for þe thrid of Sr Robert Watſouns chaplanreis, vi^{lib} xiij^{s} iiij^{d}.

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Item, to S^r. Robert Herbertſoun, for his annuell of þe tolbuithe þe ſaid ȝeir, Liij^s. iiij^d.
Item, to S^r. James Hamiltoun, for his annuell þairof, ix^s.

STATUTE—SECOND OCTOBER.

TEM, it is condeſcendit to and ſtatute, be þe haill dekȳnis of craftis, þat þare be na nouationes, bandis, nor wþer^s. contracts maid among þame, bot l̃a fer as is contenit in þ^r. l^res. of dekynheids gevin to þā be þe toune, in tymes cuming, vnder þe pane of it þat þai may tyne be law þ^rthrow, and als of p̣iurii,* becaus þai have pn̄tlie gevin þ^r. aithis in þe contrar.

17 October. The quhilk daye, in pn̄s of John Wilſoun, ane of þe baillies of Glaſgw, comperit Dauid Kay in Carraill, and of his awin conſent and confeſſioun, renunceand all wþ^r. juriſdictions, and ſubmittand þame (him) to þe juriſdiction of þe proueſt and baillies of Glaſgw, how ſone he be requyrit be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale þairof, upone þe expenſs of þe ſaid touneſchip of Glaſgw, and þair to ſett wp and repair or mend þe twa knokks, þe ane maid be himſelf, and þe wþer auld knok mendit be him, how oft he beis requyrit þairto, be þame or ony in thayr name, and þat wpone þe tounes ra^o.nable expenſs to be payit and done be him thairfoir.

[*Scott.*] 30 October. The quhilk daye Robert Gem̄ill is decernit and ordanit, be allega^os. of partie, to content and paye to Robert Scott trauello^r., ye ſowme of fourtie ſchillingis money, for þe turſing of twa hors, laid to Dūdey, within xv dayis, witht of expenſs.

[*Broun.*] 8 November. The quhilk daye Johne Barrie ſmy^t. is decernit and ordanit, be þe aithe of partie tane, becauſe he comperit nocht, to content and paye to Jonet Broun þe ſowme of threttene ſchillings iiij^d., and þe ſaid Johne to reſaif fra hir ane cutlar quheil, quhilk ſcho is redy to delyuer to him, within xv dayis nixt, witht twa ſchillings for expenſs.

[*Landes.*] 16 November. The quhilk daye Walter Landes baxtare, is

* Perjury.

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decernit in þe wrang and amerchiament of Court, conforme to þe lettir of dekynheid, for diſobeying of þe dekȳnis offi^r. Johne Heriot, and non suffering him to poynd for þe bache penny; and dwme gevin þairupone; and þat be þe production of þe decreis of þair craft.

[*Wallace—Mur.*] 18 January. Anent the actioun perſewit be Maiſter Adame Walles, as comoun procurato^r, aganis Margaret Rankene, vniverſale intromiſſo^r. witht þe guddis of umquhile Johne M^r., for non delyuering of ane proceſſionall corſs, twa chalices, witht twa patenis of ſiluer, extending to aucht punds wecht, pryce of þe vnce threttie ſchillings money, reſſauit be him to þe Vtilitie of þe towneſchip, he being baillie, as at mair lentht is contenit in bill: The ſaid M^r. Adame perſonalie pnt: The ſaid Margaret, comperand be James Flemyng hir procurato^r, quha allegit William Hegate to have reſſauit þe ſamyn from þe ſaid wmquhile Johne and hir, and be his obligatioun, oblift him to warrand, releif, and keep ſkaithles, þe ſaid wmquhile Johne and hir þairof, at þe hands of þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale of Glaſgw, and wtheris haveand entres, and prducit the ſaid obligatioun of the dait, the ſecund daye of Junii, þe zeir of God, JCD. V^c. Lx ane terme, for calling of þe ſaid William hir warrand, quhilk þe baillies grantit, and aſſignit thairto tyiſdaye nixtocum, partie and procurato^r. varnit apud acta; and in þe mentyme continewit þe principall caus, þe ſame forme as is now.

[*Millar.*] The quhilk daye, Johnet Grhame is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for ſtreking of Jonet Millare wpone þe mowthe withe hir fauldit neif, and gewin of hir ane packy;* and dwme gewin thairwpone.

[*Lang—Grhame.*] 22 January. The quhilk daye, Gawane Grhame is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trubla^t. done be him to Jonet Lang, ſerwand to Margaret Smy^t., in ſcuting of hir wiolentlie our ane bray to þe erd, ane full borrowfull of fulze being into hir hand, wpone þe xxvi daye of December laſt bipaſt, w^tin þe dayis of þe proclama^oun; and dwme gevin thairupone: And als þe ſaid Gawane is abſoluit fra þe fulze acclamit fra him be the ſaid Margaret Smy^t., þat wes maid about þe kill, ſet to him be hir ſpous.

[*Clemy—Deneſtoun—Millare.*] 25 January. The quhilk daye, Patrik Clemy, Archibald Deneſtoun, and James Millar, tailo^rs, ar fund in þe wrang and amchia-

* Patky, or Packy—qy. palk.

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ment of court, for trublās done be þame, ilk ane to wtheris, in ſtreking of wtheris w^t^ barris of windois, forme feit, and wther ſtaifis; and dome gevin þairupone.

[*Biggart.*] 5 February. The quhilk daye, Johne Biggart, draper is maid burgeſ and freman of the burght and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelitie to the towne, and als for obſerving þe act maid anentis þe mylne: Quhais fynes wes gevin and affignit to James Scot, paynto^r^, for his bountetht and laubo^rs^ done be him, in culloring of þe knok, moyne,* and orlage, and wther commoun work of þe towne, conforme to ane rolmont gevin to him be the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, thairwpone; ſouertie for ſattiffeing of þe ſaidis fynes, Dauid Donald; and dome gevin þairwpone.

[*Smytht—Barde.*] 12 February. Anent the mater mowit be Margaret Smytht, relict of umquhile, Michael Barde, contrar Jonet Barde, contenit in bill, bering þat the ſaid umq^le^, Michael confeſſit a litill beſoir his deceis, he haid liand in ane hie^t^ chalmer, occupeit be him, threttene pundis money: At the quhilk tyme, the ſaid Margaret being deidlie ſeik, þe ſaid Jonet wes ſene gang up in and cum furtht of the ſaid chalmer, and eftir his deceis being reqwyrit be the ſaid Margaret, for delyuering þairof ſcho anſwerand, quhen ȝe paye the twa hundreth merkis, I ſall gif you the threttene pund, and ſa it maye manifeſtlie appeir þat the ſaid Jonet intromettit thairwitht, and thairfoir ſuld be compellit to paye the ſamyn to the ſaid Margaret, as executrix to þe ſaid wmq^le^ Michael to help to paye his debttis as at mair lengtht, is contenit in bill. Baitht þe parties perſonalie preſent, the proueſt and baillies, witht awyſe of þe counſale, þe richtis, reſſones and allegationes of the ſaid parteis, hard, ſene, and conſidderit, and þairwitht ryplie avyſit, decernit and ordanit þe ſaid Jonet Barde, to content and paye to þe ſaid Margaret Smytht, þe ſaid ſowme of threttene pundis money within xv dayis nixt witht of expenſis; and þat becaus þe ſaid Margarets bill being admittit to hir preif, ſcho prwfit, þe ſamyn ſufficientlie, and þe ſaid Jonet grantit þat na perſoun paſt into þe chalmer, but ſcho; as wes cleirlie Vnderſtand to þe ſaid proueſt and baillies, quha ordanit executoriales to paſs thairwpone as effeirs, &c.†

[*Allanſoun.*] 26 February. The quhilk daye Williame Allanſoun is decernit

* Dial plate or face of the clock—This entry explains one in Treasurer's account of 1577, given in 14th October, 1578.

† See the result of this case, on 15th March, 1576-7.

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in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Spens, pyper, in breking of his pypis, and als for noncomperance, as he quha being perſonalie warnit be officiare, to þis daye; and dome gevin þ^r^upone.

[*M^c^Clitſtare—Daff—Sayer.*] 1 March. The quhilk daye Williame M^c^Clitſtare, Bartie Daff, Dauid Sayer, Robert Greinleis, Johne Walker, Johne M^r^, William Symmer, and Margaret Hommill, ar fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for contravening of þe ſtatutis of þe towne, anentis þe killing,* in taking of cobill boitis into þe killing boit, and wading in þairto, and taking of þame furtht, contrar þe ſtatutis maid þairanent; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Jameſoun.*] 5 March. The quhilk daye Thomas Hamiltoun is decernit and ordanit, be the aitht of partie tane, becauſe he comperit nocht, to content and paye to Jonet Jameſoun, the ſowme of fourtene ſchillingis money, reſtand of ane kirtill, and fyve ſchillingis for the pryce of ane Vly barrell, within xv dayis nixt, witht xvi^d^ of expenſis.

[*Barde.*] 15 March. The quhilk daye þe baillies, in reſpect þat Jonet Barde hes gevin hir aitht, þat ſcho hes na guddis nor geir, for payment of þe ſowme obtenit on hir in decreit, contenand þe ſowme of threttene pundis money, at þe inſtance of Margaret Smytht, in þe ſaid Margaret's preſens in judgment, ſuperſedes þe executioun of þe ſaid decreit, Vſque ad meliorem fortunam, þat is quhill þe ſaid Jonet haif ſum guddis, þat payment may be gottin.

[*Vilſoun.*] 22 March. The quhilk daye Johne Trumbill is decernit and ordanit, of his awin confeſſioun, to content and paye to Mungo Vilſoun the ſowme of allewin ſchillingis xi^d^ money, for certane poildavy,† within xv dayis nixt, witht of expenſis.

* Salmon. † Poledavies, a coarse canvass.—*Bailey.*

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XXVI MARCH, MDLXXVII.

HE quhilk daye Archibald Herbertſoun, ſone to Johne Herbertſoun, is become in þe pſone of Renfrew, þe baillies, Maiſter Dauid Wemyſs, and þe remanent ſeſſioun of þe kirkis willis, for þe complaynt and injuris done be him to þe ſaid Maiſter Dauid miniſter, in towking of him, and wtheris injuris done be him, and to be declarit in þe ſeſſioun on Frydaye nixtocum. George Herbertſoun ſoũtie for fulfilling of þair willis, under þe pane of ane hundreth pundis money.

[*Cowperis.*] 29 March. The quhilk daye Thomas Garnes is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for þe violent ſchuting and towking of Dauid Fleming, officiar to the Cowparis, on frydaye laſt. And als for halving of ane ſtranger to work to him in þe cowper craft, þe dekyn of cowperis and his brethir of craft offerand to ſerve him als eaſilie, þe ſaid Thomas being vnfre himſelf: And ſiclyk for þe wrangous withalding of þe ſaid ſtranger, and loking of him in ane hous, and not ſuffering him to entir to þe hous of Juſtice, he being chargit þairto be James Anderſoun officiar; and dwme gevin thairwpone.

[*Laumont.*] 2 April. The quhilk daye Johne Laumont, being unfreman, and accuſit for foirſtalling of the towne, and breking of the ſtatutes of the towne, in ſelling of Irland hydis in grit quantitie to Dumbartane men, or the cuming of his bark to þe port, being liand at þe fery ſtowp,* and purpoſit to cum to þis towne, come in þe baillies will thairfoir; and Colene Campbell is becum cautioner for him, þat he ſall nevir do þe lyk of it agane, wnder þe pane of ane hundrethe pundis money unforgevin.

[*Grhame.*] 8 April. The quhilk daye, in preſens of George Elphinſtoun, baillie, Johne Grhame becum caution for the entre of Gawane Grhame, his brother, in the tolbuithe of Glaſgw, in þe burro court, to anſwr. for trublãs of þe towne, and blud betuix him and Johne Miller of Mylneheucht. And lykvyſe

* The Ferry Stoop—the station where such boats were fastened.

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Johne Steward of Bowhous, and Dauid Lindſaye ȝounger, coniunctlie and ſeueralie, ar becum cautioneris for þe entre of þe ſaid Johne Myller þe ſaid daye, to anſ^r. for trublās foirſaid, ilk pſon vnder þe pane of vnlaw and blud; and als are becum caution rx^ua. þat þair ſall be na trublās betuix þame in þe meynetyme, ilk pſon vnder þe pane of twa hundrethe pundis money. And the ſaid Johne Miller is decernit to relief his ſaid cautioneris heirof.

[*Watſoun.*] 25 April. The quhilk daye, in pñs of the proueſt and baillies fittand in jugement, James Watſoun, officiar, fleſchour, is maid burges and freman of þe burghe and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gewin his aitht of fidelitie to the towne, and als for obſeruing þe ſtatut anentis þe cuming to þe townes mylnes. Souertie for his fynes, Johne Watſoun witht þe bairde, fleſcho^r.

[*McQuhirrye—Roſs.*] 26 April. The quhilk daye, Patrik McQuhirrye ſkipper, is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for þe wrangous raiſing þe ſtains furthe of þe comownе hie ſtreit, in þe marcat place of hering, at þe brig, pertenyng to þe haill towneſchip: And als for þe wrangous ſtreking of Andro Thomſoun, fiſcher on þe grene, þat ſamyn daye at four ho^rs. eftirnon, becaus he reprewit him þairof. And als þe ſaid Patrik, and Margaret Roſs his wyff, are lykvyſe fund in þe wrang, for invading of him witht ane drawin quhinger, and his wyf, on þe hie gait, ſtreking of him at ſax ho^rs. eftirnon, eftir þe ſaid firſt ſtreking, eftir þat he had fund cautioun for þe doing of þe ſaid ſecund wrang and firſt ſtreking; and dwme gevin thairwpone.

[*Smytht.*] 3 May. The quhilk daye, Robert Smytht in Ennerkip is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublās done be him to Dauid Flemyng, cowper, burges of Glaſgw, in ſtreking of him witht ane ſuorde and battoun, to þe effuſioun of his blude, in þe nycht, at Sanct Lowrance burne, and dome gevin þairupone. And als vpone þe morne þaireftir, for þe doing of þe lyk to him; and dome gevin þ^rvpone. Thaireftir þe amendis, be conſent of bay^t. þe ſaidis parteis, referrit to Dauid Lindſaye, elder, James Flemyng, and James Richie, cowper, to be decydit be þā þe morne, viz., þe ferd daye of Maii inſtant.

[*Jameſoun.*] 7 May. The quhilk daye, Agnes Jameſoun is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for prouoking and calling of Dauid Grhame, elder, Iniurious wordis, and als for þe ſtreking of him witht ane rwng wpone þe heid and

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hand to þe effufioun of his bluid; and dwme gevin þairupone, and þe ſaid Dauid and his dochtaris ar abſoluit fra þe (ſaid) Agnes clame.

[*Bowie.*] The quhilk daye, Walter Bowie, merchand, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for caſting downe of Gawane Rauffis flaik,* full of merchand geir downe in þe dirt; and dwme gevin þairupone, and is ordanit to recompance him of his ſkaitht ſuſtenit þairto, &c.

[*Hauſtoun.*] 14 May. The q^uk^ daye, Johne Hauſtoun, baxter, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for þe wrangous taking of Andro Faries hand, fyue ellis of dowbill quhy^t^ playding, and als is decernit to delyuer him the ſamyn agane, he payand four ſchillingis iiij^d^ for ewery ell thairof; and als is fund in the wrang for non entering of ane hieland man, as he quha wes ſouertie for the entre of him to this daye; and dwme gevin thairwpone.

[*Wilſoun.*] The quhilk daye, Robert Wilſoun, meſſinger, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for þe ſtreking of James Cuik witht his fit vpone þe bak on the tolbuitht ſtair, in pns of þe officiaris; and dwme gevin thairupone.

[*Pollok.*] The quhilk daye, Allexander Pollok is abſolwit fra allewin merkis, promeiſt be him to Robert Craufurde, for the price of ane graye hor^e^, and þat becaus þe ſamyn had ſcab and farſy, quhilk apperit within fyue dayis eftir þe ſelling; and he brocht þe horſis agane to þe ſaid Robert, quhilk wes ordanit be the baillies, to be gevin (in) þe poyndars hands to be fellit.

* A hurdle.

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STATUTIS.

ITEM, it is ſtatute and condiſcendit, be þe proveſt and baillies, togidder witht þe counſale wndervritten in þe counſalhous: Be reſſone þ^t. þe comone towne mylne is alluterlie ruinous, and gif na remeid be maid haiſtlie, will not failȝe to fall and dekaye: Thairfore, þat all neceſſ^r. materiales, tymer, ſtanes, and wþis for bigging þ^rof, be preparit w^t. diligence, and bro^t. to þe mylne, and craftesmen conducit for pforming þ^rof, and þat þe maiſter (of) work be diligent, and avate þ^rupone, and ordanis the the^r. to be electit at Vitſondaye nixt, to deburs þe expenſis to be maid on þe ſamyn.

Item, becaus in reſpect of þe ſtatuts maid, concernyng þe cuming to þe comone towne mylnes, þat altho^t. þe ſaid mylnes war reparit, ȝit wald no^t. ſerve, nor be ſufficient for grynding of þe ſtuff þat will cum þ^rto, and to ſtaik* þe haill towne: Thairfoir, w^t. ane conſent, tho^t. gude to blok† witht Arch^d. Lione for his myln, witht quhome þai, eftir lang avyſement, aggreit and appointit w^t. him for þe ſamyn, conforme to þe contract to be maid þairupone; and þai inſtantlie commouit and conſentit to þe heids þairof.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, grantit to James Flemyng, maiſter of work, for his expenſis maid be him, in avating on þe workmen þir twa ȝeiris bigane, ane burges fynes, and ordanis him to name ony to be burges, quha ſal be admittet and reſavit at his requeiſt.

[*Scott—Brum.*] 17 May. The quhilk daye, Alexander Scott, baxtare, and Johne Brum, fleſcho^r., referrit thair actioun of trublans, to William Trumbill, Johne Scott, Johne Gilmo^r., Johne Hamilton, Steill bonet maker, and in cais of wariance, Maiſter Adame Wallace, as odman and ourman, and to convene þe morne at ſax or ſewin hors in þe mornyng, to be decydit be þame, betuix and þe xxi daye of Junii, inſtant.

[*Tennand—Weir—Gilhageis.*] The quhilk daye, George Tennand, and Marioun Weir, ſpouſes, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trubling of William Suthirlandis hous, inwitht þe clud of nycht: And als Elizabet Gil-

* Staik—to accommodate or supply. † Block—to plan or devise.

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hagy, and hir ſuftir lykvys, ar fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be þame to þe ſaid Marioun, in ſtreking of hir; and dwme gevin þairupon: Thaireftir referrit þe ſamyn to Johne Wilſoun, baillie, and Maiſter Adame Wallace, to be decydit be þame.

Hay.

UPPLICA°N gevin in be Alexander Hay, chirurgiane: The quhilk daye, the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, wnderſtandand quhairby he is myndit to remane in þe towne, being in redynes for ſerwing of the towne in his craft and art: Thairfoir for his ſupport, thai have grantit, as be þir preſentis, grantis ane ȝeirlie penſioun to him, of ten merkis money, ȝeirlie, to be payit be the theſaurare of þe towne for þe tyme, in tymes cuming, during thair willis, and his gud ſerwice and bering, beginnand þe firſt payment fra þe theſaurar, in þe thre ſcoir ſewentene ȝeiris: And atto^r. ye ſaid Allexander for ſerwice bigane, is maid burges and freman of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelitie to the towne, and for obſerving of þe ſtatutis þairof, and ſall pay na maner of taxt in tyme cuming, conforme to the preuilege haid be wmquhile James Abirnethy, his maiſter.

[*Michel—Pettigreuis.*] 21 May. The quhilk daye, James Michel is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Thomas Pettigrew, in invading him w^t. ane drawin quhyng^r., ȝefterdaye, at twa ho^rs. eftirnone: And als Johne Pettigrew in þe wrang, for the invadyng of þe ſaid James, ſiklyk w^t. ane drawin quhyhngr: And ſiclik baitht þe ſaides Thomas and Johne Pettigrewis, ar baitht fund in þe wrang, for invading of the ſaid James, ilk ane of þame witht ane drawin quhyng^r., and caſting of him in ane dub: And alſwa þe ſaidis Thomas and Johne, ar fund in þe wrang, for diſobeying of James Anderſoun, officiar, to pas in warde for þe foirſaid trublance; and dwme gevin thairupone.

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STATUT.

TEM, it is ſtatut and ordanit, be þe baillies and counſale þat na maner of perſone be fund in wther mennis ſtuff, powand thirſillis, or ony wther wedis, but þair leif, vnder þe pane of laying of thā in þe ſtokis, oppinly, at the marcatt croce, and to ly thairinto twenty-four hoʳˢ, and ordains James Speir to pas throw the towne, and proclame the ſamyn.

CURIA.

ITSONDAYE COURT.

The names of thame þat hes brokin þe comowne, and þe faltis gevin wp be þe outlandemeris.

Item, Johne Wyddrois, þe ſkynnaris wennal, is ſa hoikit þat na perſoun may pas.

Item, þe freir medo is biggit wᵗ þe comone.

Item, Michaell Litiljohne hes delwit ane grit quantitie of þe comone, and maid ane new deyik, in turving þe grund ſax ellis about.

Item, James Anderſoun, ſumtyme millare, hes brokin þe comowne, and laid vpone his land.

Archibald Lione hes tane awaye ane greit quantitie of ȝerde, of þe myledame heid, and laid þe ſamyn wpon his land.

Item, Archibald Lione hes delwit money turfis, ane grit quantitie fra his deyk in Daffie greyne, and hes maid his deyk thairwitht.

Item, þe wennall þat paffis be Colene Campbellis houſs, is þir ȝeris bigane, and ȝit remanes ȝeirlie and daylie deſtroyit, in laying of myddines, and hoiking þairof, to þe haill confuſion thairof, as may be ſene and perſawit.

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STATUTIS.

PROUEST, baillies, and counſale, conſiderand þe multitude of ſtrengeris cuming to þis town, deſyrand to be fremen thairof, throw þe quhilk the townefchip is abill * to be oppreſt: Thairfoir, þai foirſeand þe ſamyn, hes ſtatut, and ordanit, þat gif ony ſtrangeris, not being burges barnes of the towne, in tyme cuming, requyris to be maid fremen thairof, ilk ane of þame ſall paye, for þair burges fynes, to þe theſaurare þairof for þe weill of þe towne, þe ſowme of tuenty pundis money.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, regardand, and having Eie to the burges barnis of the ſaid towne, and to ſchaw thame favour anentis thair fynes, quhilks in tymes bipaſt wes equall wt þe ſtrengers, hes ſtatut, and ordanit, þat ane burges apperand aire, his faither being on lyf, fra this daye furtht, ſall pay only for his burges fynes, þe ſowme of fyve pundis money: And ilk ane of þe ſaid burges ſecund, and remanent ſones, during þair fatheris tyme, or eftir, to pay for þair fynes, ten merkis money allanerlie: And als ilk perſone mariand ane burges dochtir, beand þe burges only aire, ſall paye for his burges fynes, þe sowme of fyve pundis only, and quha mareis ony of þe reſt of ony burges dochteris, aither after þair fatheris deceis, or befoir, ſall pay, ilk perſoun for þair burges fynes ten pundis money allanerlie.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, undirſtandand þat ſyndry perſonis, ſuttis requeiſtes, of grit men, and wtheris, and is maid burgeſs gratis, but ony payment to þe towne, and for remeid heirof, thai haif ſtatut, þat gif ony happynis to be maid burges in tymes cuming, be requeiſt gratis, without ane reſſonabill caus of ſerwice, or guid deid done to þe towne be þame þairfoir: That ſic burgeſis airis ſall not haif, bruik, nor jois, þe benefeit and previlege of ane burges aire, nor be reſawit freman, as ane burges aire, bot to be reknyt as ſtrenger, and paye fynes as þai do.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, ordanis all perſones, haifand þe new rewin out,† comowne landis, to be chargit to furneis þair day works, conforme to þair infeftmentes, to þe comowne work of þe towne, and gif ony refuſs, to paye for ilk daye work, ſax ſchillings aucht peneis money, and ordanis þe officiaris to poynd thairfoir.

* Liable. † Newly portioned, or divided.

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[*Stewart—Trumbill.*] 4 June. The quhilk daye, Jonet Stewart, ſerwand to Katterine Stewart, is fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Jonet Trumbill, in cuming in hir hous, and rugging of hir hair, and alſua þe ſaid Jonet Trumbill is fund in þe wrang, for þe ſtreking of the ſaid Jonet Stewart witht ane rung; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Maxis.*] The quhilk daye, Duncane Maxis, ſerwand to John Barry, lorymer, is, be his awin confeſſion, fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Simone Barde, in ſtreking of him w^t^ ane windok bar vpone þe heid, to þe effuſion of his bluid, vpone þe ferde daye of Junii inſtant; and dome gewin þairupone, and thairfoir is cum in the baillies will.

[*Kirkwod—Lowry.*] The quhilk day, James Kirkwod, and Barbara Lowry, relict of wmquhile Dauid Heriot, ar fund in þe wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublans done be thame, ilk ane of þā to wtheris, in caſting of aill in wtheris faces; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Kirkwod.*] The quhilk daye, Barbara Lowry, relict of umquhile Dauid Heriot, is decernit and ordanit of hir awin confeſſion, to delyuer to James Kirkwod, tailȝor, thre ſchort pecis, and ane lang geiſt of aik, and ſa mony pecis of ſtanes as ſcho hes within hir hous, hewin, or unhewin, be hir aitht incontinent.

[*Layng.*] 7 June. The quhilk daye, Robert Layng, ſadillare, is fund in the wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Begie Anderſoun, ſpous to James Graye, tailȝor, in ſtreking of hir vpone the face witht his neif, vpone monnondaye preceding vitſondaye laſt: And als Williame Cochrane, ſkynner, is fund in the wrang in lykmaner, in trubling of þe ſaid James in his awin hous, in putting and caſting in of ane langſadill bed in þe ſamyn, he not being remowit furtht þairof: And als þe ſaid Robert and William ar baithe fund in þe wrang, for þe invading of the ſaid James in his awin hous, ilk ane of þame w^t^ ane drawne quhynger; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Wilſoun.*] 2 July. The quhilk daye Robert Wilſoun, meſſinger, is fund in the wrang and aṁchiament of court, for trublance done be him to James Johneſoun, ſerwand to Johne M^r.^, fleſcho^r.^, in caſting of him to þe erde, and poſſing him w^t^ his feit; and dome gevin thairupone.

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[*Rankene.*] The quhilk daye Margaret Rankene, ſpous to Johne Gib, wrycht, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublance done be hir to Margaret Smytht, in ſtreking of hir and hir barne, and rugging of her hair, and caſting of ſtanes in at hir dur; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Miller.*] The quhilk daye Johne Paterſoun, ſkynner, is decernit and ordanit, of his awin proper confeſſion, to delyuer to Matho Miller, carter, ane wortt trocht ſtane, ſett in hyre for þe ſpace of ane ȝeir, quhill Vitſondaye nixt, incontinent.

[*Connell.*] The quhilk daye Jonet Scott, ſpous to Samſoun Wilſoun, is decernit and ordanit, be hir confeſſion, to delyuer to Iſabel Connell, vi^t^ of fie, w^t^ ane Lynȳng coller, and ane hardin aperone, promeiſt in fie, price iij^s^ incontinent, witht of expenſis.

[*Millar.*] The quhilk daye Thomas Spang, merchand, is decernit and ordanit to delyuer to Thomas Miller, ane grit tow, and twenty ane lib. xiij^s^ iiij^d^ money, for ane wther tow, intromettit w^t^ be him, þtenȳg to the ſaid Thomas Miller, he payand to the ſaid Thomas Spang, the carrege thairof, viz.:
And ordanis Thomas Miller to mak fre þe ſaid Thomas Spangis twa towis, þat he may bring þame hame on his awin expenſis.

URIA.

The court of the burght and citie of Glaſgw, haldin at Craigmak, be George Elphinſtoun, and Johne Wilſoun, baillies thairof, þe ſaxt day of Julii, being þe fair ewin, the ȝeir of God, &c., Lxxvij ȝeir; the court confermit: Dempſtar, Robert Lettrik.

Item, becaus the fair daye of Glaſgw, approcheand, fallis vpone Sondaye nixt, vpone the quhilk na mercat aucht to be kepit: Thairfor it is ſtatute be þe baillies and counſale, þat na merchandis crame* on þe gait, nor ȝit oppin þair buithes for ſelling of merchandice, vpone the ſaid ſondaye nixt, vnder þe pane of fywe pundis ilk þſone, and ordanis þis ſtatut to be publiſt be oppin proclama^o^n, at the mercat croce, incontinent.

* To hawk goode—Belg: Kraamen, to expose for sale.

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[*Widderſpune—Biggar—Flemyng.*] 10 July. The quhilk daye James Witherſpwne, James Biggart, John Flemyng, Patrik Graye, Michaell Dalgleis, and Johne Speir, tailzors, ar fund in the wrang and amerchiament of court, for diſobeying þair dekyne, and þe townes offir, for not entering þameſelfis armeit, to haif kepit þe tolbuithe ſtair, þai being chargit thairto.

[*Falconare.*] 16 July. The quhilk daye Matho Falconare, ſone to Johne Falconare, tailzor, is fund in the wrang and amchiament of court, for caſting of ane ſtane at Beſſie Cochrane, ſpous to James Witherſpwne, hitting hir, and hir barne in hir arme þairwitht, and bludit the barne, vpone Weddinſdaye the tent day of Julii inſtant, within the cry of the fair, and is fund in þe bludwyte;* and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Galbraitht.*] The quhilk daye Johne Ker is decernit and ordanit, þe allegaones of partie being harde, and als be þe aitht of partie, to delyuer to Alexander Galbraitht, certane woll extendand to pund wecht, and ane pair of breikis, within xv dayis nixt, with of expenſis.

[*Arbukle.*] The quhilk daye James Arbukle is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Dauid Allan, in ſtreking of him, and caſting doun his peittis, of his hors bak in ane myr; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Munky.*] 30 July. The quhilk daye, Johne Munky, quariour, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Jonet Anderſoun, ſpous to Johne Anderſoun, miniſter, in ſtreking of hir witht his neif vpone þe face, and dinging of hir curchaye of hir face; and dome gevin thairupon, and for amendis of þe ſaid ſtreking, is ordanit to ſit downe vpone his kneis, and aſk hir forgifnes, quhilk he inſtantlie did reſerwand to þe ſaid Johne, actioun, to perſew for Iniuris.

[*Flemyng.*] 6 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, George Burrall, ſadillare, is decernit and ordanit, be þe aitht of partie referrit be him þrto, to content and paye to William Flemyng, in rudry, þe ſowme of ſaxtene ſchillingis money, for þe price

* "An unlaw for wrang or injury, sic as bloud."—Skene de verb. sig.

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of thre Rabuck ſkynnis, and ane brok ſkyn, within xv dayis next, with of expenſis.

[*Barrie—Galbraitht.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Barrie, Lorymer,* and Umphray Galbraitht, cutlare, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublance done be þame, ilk ane to wtheris, in invading and hurting ilk ane of wtheris witht drawin quhingeris, to þe effuſion of ilk ane of þair bludes; and dome gevin þairupone: Thaireſtir, þe baillies witht awyſe of þe counſall conſidderand þe mony fauld tulȝeis committit and done betuix þe ſaidis pairteis in tymes bigane, and for ewading þairof in tymes cuming, and quieting of þe towne þairfra, hes ordanit þe ſaidis pairteis to abſtene fra tulȝie, or invading ather of wtheris in tymes cuming, be waye of deid, wtherwyſe nor be law, ilk ane of þame vndir þe pane of fourtie pundis, þat happinis to be cōvict þairinto, to be payit to þe proueſt, baillies, and comōwne work of þe towne.

[*Herbertſoun.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Herbertſoun is abſoluit fra þe kow hyde, acclamit fra him, be George Tennand, and is decernit to delyuer to þe ſaid George, ane ſecreit doublat† lent be him to ſaid Johne, incontinent.

[*Paterſoun.*] 13 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Robert Paterſoun is fund in the wrang and amchiament of court, for the taking and caſting of Johne Anderſones hydis, furtht of his awin bark hoill; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Hogiſyarde.*] 16 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Johne Hogiſȝarde, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for halding of ane kow by the hirde, contrare þe ſtatutis of þe towne: Quhilk kow wes fund and gottin in James Flemingis corne, and is ordanit to redown þe ſkaitht to þe ſaid James ſuſtenit be him; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Grhame—Stewartis.*] 20 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, the actioun of trublans perſewit be Gawane Grhame, contrare, Robert and Archibald Stewartis, brether, is continewit be conſent of partie, in hoip of greance, to þe xxvj daye of Auguſt, inſtant, and þat na trublans be done in þe meyne tyme: Souertie þairfoir, and for þe entrie

* Lorimer—a maker of bits for bridles.—Lorarius, Vid. Littleton's Dict. See also p. 74.

† Secret doublet—a doublet of chain mail, worn under part of the usual dress to guard against assassination.

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of þe ſaid Gawane, þe ſaid daye, Mungo Wilſoun, and for þe ſaid Archibald, Dauid Lyndſaye, eldir, and als for þe ſaid Robert, under þe pane of ane hundrethe pundis money ilk ꝑtie.

[*Michell.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Michell in Neþ^r. Poſſill, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for taking ane hors of William Wattirſtounes of þe feildis, and putting of him in harrowis, laubo^r. and þair twa ho^ms.; and dome gevin thairupone: And þairfoir is decernit to gif xl^d. for his laubo^r. incontinent, witht of expenſis.

[*Hakhill.*] 27 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Jonet Moreſoun, ſpous to William Jack, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for injuring of Archibald Hakhill, in calling of him ane menſuorne theif, upone the xxij daye of Auguſt, inſtant, and als vpone þe ſaid daye, immediatlie þaireftir, is lykvyſe in þe vrang, for the caſting of ane pynt ſtoip full of aill at him, and hitting and hurting of him abone his left eie þairw^t., to the grit effuſioun of his bluid; and dome gevin thairupone, and the ſaid Archibald is abſoluit fra þe ſaid Jonetis clame: Thaireftir þe amendis to be maid to þe ſaid Archibald, be conſent of partie, is referrit to Peter Lymburnare, Patrik Colquhoun, and to þe ſaid Williame, to be decernit be þame incontinent.

[*Armo^r.*] 30 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Richert Armo^r. tuik not, þat Johne Reid awnit þe meir acclamit fra him as wanderit, and no^t. as theif ſtollin.

1 OCTOBER, MDLXXVII.

ANE noble and potent lorde, Robert, Lord Boyd, preſentit ane writting maid to him, be James, Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, concerning the proueſtrie thairof vnderwritten, and deſyrit þe ſamyn to be inſert and regrat in þir buiks, for fulfilling and obſerva^on thairof, and þat þe towneſchip ſuld ꝑtend na ignorance of the ſamyn, quhilk þe baillies reſawit and ordanit þe ſamyn to be regrat in þir buiks, of þe quhilk þe teno^r. followis: We, James, Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, be þe teno^r. heirof, bindis and obliſs we, to our cheif kynniſman, Robert, Lord Boyd, baillie principall of our baronie, and regalitie of Glaſgw, quhom we, by our ſpeciall

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powar and commiſſioun, haid choſen proueſt of the ſaid citie, during all the dayis of o^r^ lyftyme, and his gewin undir our hand writis, and regr̃at in þe court buiks of þe ſaid citie at mair lengthe beirs; no^t^w^t^ſtanding þe ſaid Lorde, for ſyndry cauſais, mowing him thairto, hes dimittit the ſaid office in o^r^ hand for þis ȝeir, quhairby we may nõiat ſic ane perſoun as we think beſt at this nixt michaelmes court, and ſiclike in tyme cuming ȝeirly to be p̣ueſt of the ſaid cietie: Provyding alwayis þat we ſall nominat na proueſt þis ȝeir, nor in ony tyme cuming, by þe ſaid Lordis avyſe and conſent, during all þe dayis of his lyftyme, nor ȝit ſall retene ony proueſt, þat ſall be nominat be us to þe ſaid cietie, langer nor ane ȝeir, bot ſall change þe p̣ueſt at þe ȝe^ris^ end, at þe deſyre and pleſor of þe ſaid Lorde; and gif we wald do þe contrare, (as God forbid we ſuld,) we, be þe teno^r^ heirof, ordanis and cõmandis þe baillies and counſall of þe ſaid cietie, þat þai pas, nor gif na cõmiſſioun to na perſoun nor perſonis, to þe office of p̣ueſtrie of þe ſaid cietie, by þe conſent and aduiſe of þe ſaid lorde haid thairto: And als we be þe teno^r^ heirof, grantis and conſentis þat it ſall be leſum to the ſaid lorde, to entir to þe ſaid office of proueſtrie of Glaſgw agane, quhenewer it pleſis him, at the tyme of Michaelmes, quhen baillies and proueſteis are electit, ſiclyk, and als frelie as he haid newir demittit þe ſamyn in our handis, and þat þe commiſſioun be grantit him quhen his L. pleiſs to accept þe ſam, and als, we conſent and cõmand þat þis o^r^ writting be regr̃at in þe court buiks of our cietie of Glaſgw, and remane as oure ſufficient warrand to þe ſaid lorde, and ſiclyk to þe baillies and counſale of þe ſaid cietie, pn̄t and to cum, during all þe dayis of þe ſaid Lordis lyftyme, but ony reuocatioun or agane calling: And is content þat þe ſamyn be extendit in the maiſt ſuir forme, þat can be diuiſit, keipand the ſubſtance aboue writtin: In witnes of the q^ll^, we haif ſubſcriwit þe ſamyn witht oure hand, at Glaſgw, the ſext daye of September, the ȝeir of God, JM. V^c^ Lxxvij ȝeiris, befoir þir vitneſſis, James Boyd of Kippis, Thomas Crawfurde of Jordanhill, Fargus Kennedy, and Archibald Lorymeir, meſſinger, w^t^ wtheris diuers, &c.

The quhilk daye comperit Fargus Kennedy, ſerwito^r^, and in name and behalf of ane maiſt reuerend father, James, Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, moderne, and preſentit ane writtyng, ſubſcryuit be him, namand and preſentand Thomas Crawford, of Jordanhill, to be proueſt of þe burght and cietie of Glaſgw, for this ȝeir to cum: Quhilk writting the auld baillies and counſale reſawit, and ordanit and grantit thair cõmiſſioun to be maid and gevin, to þe ſaid Thomas to þat effect, conforme to vſe and wont, and ordanit the ſamyn to be ſeillet on thurſdaye the

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thrid day of October inſtant, and þat wt the conſent of Robert, Lorde Boyd conforme to the writting beſoir regiſtrat.

STATUTA PRO PN̄TI ANNO SEPTUAGESIMO SEPTIMO.

TEM, it is ſtatut and ordanit be þe proueſt, baillies, and cõſale of Glaſgw, that thair be na darrer aill ſauld, nor vijd þe pynt, and þat þe ſamyn be kingis aill, and wery guid, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillings þe firſt falt, the ſecund falt deling of þe brewing, þe thrid falt breking of þair lwmes, delyng of þe brewing, and forbering to brew ȝeir and daye þaireſtir, and þat nane brew except fremen, or relicts of þe fremen, vndir þe pane of delyng of þe brewing, and breking of þair lwmes, and þat þe browſtaris make þair aill patent to þe taiſtaris, ſa oft as þai cum thairto, vndir the pane of aucht ſchillings ilk perſoun.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat þe foure pẽny laif wey tuelf vnce wecht, guid and ſufficient ſtuf, weill baiken breid, and þat ilk baxtare haif ane prent on þair breid, ſua þat þe ſamyn may be knawin, undir þe pane of aucht ſchillings þe firſt falt, þe ſecund falt deling of þair breid, and þe thrid, diſchargeing of baiking for ane ȝeir: And þat þe dekyn of þe craft viſie þe ſamyn breid, and exerce þis ſtatut ſcharplie, and gif he be fundin negligent, to be puneiſt be the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, as repugnant to the cõmowne weltht.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat þair be na middynis laid vpone þe foirgait, on þe greyne, nor ȝit on meill nor fiſche mercats, nor þat na fleſchom teyme þair vſchawis vpone þe foirgate, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillings ilk falt vnforgevin, and þat na ſtanes nor tymmer ly on þe hie gait, langar nor ȝeir and daye, vndir þe pane of eſcheting þairof.

Item, it is ſtatut þat þair be na blawin muttoun, nor breding of fleſche, vndir the pane of aucht ſchillingis, and þat na talloun be ſauld of grit quantitie, to pas of the towne, quhill faſtrenis ewin, vndir þe pane of eſcheting þairof, and þat na fleſchom by tallowne nor deid fleſche: And þat all fleſche or fiſche þat beis brocht to þe towne, to be brocht at anes to þe mercat, vndir the pane of eſcheting of ſa mekill as beis fund hid in þair houſs.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat þair be na muttoun ſcorit on þe bak, nor na pairte þairof, nor ȝit lattin doun beſoir, bot ane ſcoir ather beſoir or behind, vn-

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dir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis ilk falt, and þat na martis be bowbredit, nor lattin down, vndir þe ſaid pane; and þat all þe hydis and ſkynnis be haill, nocht diminiſit nor carledderit, togidder wt the tallowne, be brot wt the boulks, togidder to þe mercatt, vndir þe ſaid pane, þe ſecund falt, eſcheting of þair guddis, and deling to þe pur, and þe thrid vndir þe pane of eſcheting, and diſchargeing fra vſing ſic merchandice in tymes cuming.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat na hukſtaris by hay, ſtray, nor corne to cop nor ſell, quhidder þai be fre or vnfre, without þai hawe ſtabeling, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis, and þat the corne remane in the marcat, quhill ten horn of þe daye, vndir þe ſaid pane, to be tane of þe byar, and ſamekill of þe ſellare.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat þair be na tallowne darrer ſauld, nor xviij^a þe ſtane, and þat nane be ſauld to outtintowneſmen, vndir þe pane of eſcheting þe ſamyn, and þat na m̃chandis, nor wther fremen, nor fleſchorn, by tallowne, or hydis, in preiudice of þe towne, or by tallowne, hydis, or ſkynnis, witht ſtrengeris money, or pennyworthis vndir cullor, nor ȝit pak nor peill witht vnfremen, vndir the pane of eſcheting of all ſic guddis (and þat na ky be hochit on þe hie gait, and blude þrupon, vndir þe pane of viij^a þe firſt falt, and þreftir, vndir þe pane of xx^t).

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat þe pund of candill be ſauld for xv^d þe pund, and þat þe ſamyn be ſmall wekit and weill tallownit, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis, and þat na vnfre perſonis mak candelis to ſell agane, vndir þe pane of eſcheting of the ſamyn; and þe candill makaris ſal ſell to ſic as deſyris, in pund or half pund vechtes, or wthervyſe be wechts, vndir þe ſaid pane.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat gif ony maltman ſellis his malt (to) vnfre perſonis, brouſtaris within þe burghe, he ſall nocht be harde to perſew the ſamyn owthir befoir proueſt or baillies.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat na maltman by beir in þe mercat, and ſend awaye the malt thairof down þe watter of clyde, bot þat he put þe ſamyn to þe marcatt of Glaſgw, ilk fault, aucht ſchillingis vnforgevin.

Item, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, vnderſtandand þe name of God to be blaſphemit, be bannyng and ſuering, and þe command þairanent to be maiſt oppinlie brokin, but puniſment, in þis toun: Thairfoir it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat na maner of perſoun or perſounes blaſpheme Goddis name, owther in bannyng or ſuering in tymes cuming, vndir þe pane of vnlawis contenit in þe actis of parliament, and ordanis þair officiars to pas throw the towne, and tak tryall, and puneis þe ſamyn, conforme to þe actis of parliament: And als þai inhibit þat þair be na

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mercatt kepit on þe ſondaye, fra þis daye furtht, vndir þe pane of eſcheting of þe guddis preſentit and ſauld.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat na meill be ſauld, nor ſeks oppinit thairto, quhill ten hoꝝ of þe daye, and þat nane foirſtall þe mercatt, in bying of meill cumand to þe mercatt, to ſell and cop agane, and ilk ſellar and awnare of þe meill, mett þe ſamyn þameſelfis, according to þe auld ſtatutis, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis ilk falt, and þat þair be na meill hid in houſs, bot all preſentit in þe mercatt ſted, nor ſauld out witht þe ſamyn, vndir the ſaid pane.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat all crames witht wolne claitht, ſtand abone the croce, and crames witht lynnyng claitht ſtand beneth the croce, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis ilk falt, prouiding þat it ſall be leiſum to ſyndrie fremen as hes buithis beneth the croce, to ſtand with þair merchandice befoir þair awin buithis.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, þat gif ony perſone of þe counſale happenis to revele ony thing ſpoking or tretit in þe counſale, as counſale, ſall be removit of þe counſale, and newir in tymes cuming to be admittit vpone þe counſale agane, bot haldin infame, and þair fredomes callit downe.

Item, it is ſtatut anentis the officiaris, conforme to þe ſtatutes maid of befoir, þat in cais þai be noꝗ ſerwiable, bot comittis falts þairinto, wordy depriua°n, that incontinent thaireſtir, to be removit, and wtheris put in þair places, be the proueſt, baillies, and counſale.

Item, farder, for guid reull and ſerwice to be kepit and done be þe offiꝝ in tymes cuming, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat nane ſall be admittit to þat office, except þai firſt find cautioun for dew adminiſtra°un in þair office: And als, how ſone þai be fund in falt worthe of depriva°un to be depriwit incontinent, be proueſt, baillies, and counſale, quha hes promeiſt be upgewing of þair handis and faitht, in cais ony of þame be removit for ane ſufficient caus, nocht to reſſawe þame agane in office, for na requeiſt, directlie or indirectlie; and als ordanes the baillies to caus the ſkellatt* pas throw the towne on ane mercatt daye, immediatelie preceding ilk heid court, of the heid courtis in the ȝeir, to warne all and ſyndrie, þat hes ony cōplayntis againis þe officiaris, to cum þairwitht on þe dayis of þe ſaid heid courtis, quhilkis þan ſallbe examinat, and gif þai, or ony of þame be wordie fund of depriuatioun, to be depryvit as ſaid is, and þis nocht to ſtop ony wthir tymes, quhen þair playntis may be playntit on.

* Skellat—from Su. G. Skaella—Tintinnabulum.

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Item, ordanis þe baillies be þameſelfis, to vifie the haill mercattis in þe towne, and þat þe ſtatutes, and all þe ſtatutes aboue writtin, be keipit in all poyntis.

Item, it is ſtatut, þat it ſall nocht be lefull to nowther fre or vnfre, to hald by hirſalis,* vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis, nor ȝit to þe hirdis to gif vp þe keiping of þe guddis, quhill all þe ſtuff be junit.

Item, it is ſtatut, þat nane pull ſtibbilis furtht of ony landis about the toun, the firſt falt vndir þe pane of baniſment furtht of þe towne.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat þair be na ſwyn, nor geis haldin, nor paſturat within the burroruds about the towne, bot haldin bund in houſs, vndir þe pane of eſcheting thairof.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, for preſeruatioun of þe quheit ȝeirlie ſawin, or to be ſawin about the towne, and ſalfing of the ȝardis, þat þair ſal be na ſcheip haldin nor paſturat within the burrorudis, ſymmer nor vyntir, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis þe firſt falt, þe ſecund falt xxiiij^{s}, and þe thrid, eſcheting thairof; and ordanis þe poynder to exerce þis ſtatut, vndir þe pane of depriua^{o}un of his office.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit þat þe mercatt ſted of gers, ſtray, and hay, be in þe new kirk ȝarde in tyme cuming, and þat nane ſall preſent þe ſamyn to ane wthir place bot þair, vndir þe pane of aucht ſchillingis ilk falt.

Item, it is ordanit, þat þe caill, fruit, vnȝeones, and crames þairfoir, be putt betuix þe cors gutter, and þe gibbett; and þat ilk crame be ane ell braid, and ane elne lang only.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat it ſall nocht be leſum to na freman to halve fleſche ſtoks, ma nor ane, in þe Lane mercatt; and it ſall nocht be leful to ony vnfreman, to halve ony ſtoks þair.

Item, it is ſtatut and ordanit, that thir perſones vnderwritten, every ane within the gaytes quhair þai duell, paſs owklie throw þe ſamyn, and taiſt þe aill browin within þe boundis limitat to þame, to ſe gif þe ſamyn be ſufficient, according to þe price taxt thairupone, and quha brewis þat ar vnfre, and to report the ſamyn owklie to þe baillies.

For þe Rattonrau and Drygate,

William Donaldſon, Gilbert Hall.

Fra þe Wyndheid to þe Blakfreirs.

Cuthbert Herbertſoun, William Rowatt.

* Hirsell—a drove or flock—by hirsell, a private drove or flock.

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Fra þe Blakfreirs to þe croce.
George Herbertſoun, Johne Flemyng.

For þe Gallogate and troyngate.
Robert ȝoung, cordiner, Patrik Bell.

Fra þe cors to þe nethir barraſȝett.
Peter Lymburnar, James Richie.

Fra þe barraſȝet to þe brig and Stokuell.
Patrik Howie, Johne Gilmoir.

[*Robeſoun.*] 15 October. The quhilk daye, Johne Flemyng is decernit, as cautionare for Johne Schelis, to paye to Elizabet Robeſoun, viij^a. money, for ane paitlott* and ane pair of ſlevis, tane be þe ſaid Johne Schelis fra hir, incontinent, w^t. of expenſis.

[*Leiche.*] The quhilk daye, Margaret Leiche is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Jonet Lyndſaye, in ſtreking of hir witht ane irne tangis, and byting of hir, vpon þe firſt daye of October, inſtant, and dome gevin þairupone; and abſoluis þe ſaid Jonet fra the ſaid Margarets cōplaynt.

[*Gamill—Millar—Watſoun.*] 22 October. The quhilk daye, Robert Gamill, Johne Millar, Matho Watſoun, Johne M^r., James M^r., William M^r., Johne Browne, Robert Browne, Johne Watſoun, ȝoungar, and Johne Watſoun witht þe bairde, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for contrauening of þe ſtatutis of þe towne, in bowbreding of þe martis, apprehendit ȝifterdaye in þe mercatt, and þat for þe firſt falt; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Tode.*] 23 October. The quhilk daye, in preſens of þe proueſt, baillies and conſale, Richert Tod being accuſit for vſurping of † office, in paſſing at his awin hand, but comand of proueſt or baillies, in taking ane tailȝo^r. furtht of Matho Vilſones hous, and ane wther furth of Thomas Syares hous, and imputting þame in ſtrait warde, in þe hie^t. tolbuithe, and als for poynding Margaret

* Paitlett, a piece of dress for the head or neck. † Blank in original.

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Woddrop in ſtokuellgait, for ane vnlaw, nocht being convict, wes be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale votand, inſtantlie deprywit of his office, and his Vand tane fra him.

[*Pollok.*] 5 November. The quhilk daye, Thomas Spreull is decernit and ordanit, be þe aitht of partie tane, becaus he comperit nocht, to content and paye to Alex^r. Pollok, þe ſowme of twa merks money, for þe price of ane ſadill witht quhit leddir, ſtirrepis Irnes, pair girris, and ane pair ſpurris, left in keiping witht him; and ſiclik Beſſie King, ſpous to Allane Park, is decernit to paye to him xxxij^d. for ilk peck, of thre pecks malt, within xv dayis nixt, w^t. of expenſis.

[*Rob.*] 8 November. The quhilk daye, Johne Rob is abſoluit fra þe complaynt gevin in contrare him be Patrik Howie, for allegit ſpilling, and non doing his diligens, in walking of claitht, becaus it wes be honeſt men jugit, and ſene, he did his dewtie.

DIE SAB^TI NONO NOUEMBRIS, MDLXXVII.

Anderſoun.

THE quhilk daye, in pñs of þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, James Anderſoun is maid and creat ane of þe officiaris of þe towne, in Richert Toddis place, vndir prouiſioun, þat he keip gud ſũice and reule, and hes gevin his aitht thairto: and als, James Flemyng is becum cautioner þairfoir, and for adminiſtra^oun þairinto.

The quhilk daye, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, haweand reſpect to þe dertht* of victuales, hes mitigat þair actes anentis aill and breid, diſpenſand þairwitht, þat þe pynt of guid aill be for aucht peñeis, and þe four peñy laif wey ten vnce.

* See Moyses Memoirs, 1578, p. 6.

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XVJ NOVEMBER, MDLXXVII.

ITEM, þai condeſcendit and ordanit þe maiſter of work to mak þe gramer ſcole wattir faſt, and at þe ſpring of þe ȝeir to mend þe weſt parte þairof.

STATUT—XIX NOVEMBER, MDLXXVII.

The quhilk daye, it wes condiſcendit be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, witht þe dekynis of þe craftis, þat in reſpect, þair is nocht to be gotten of comowne guddis, to big þe calſayis, and þat þai halwe appoyntit witht a calſaye maker, for twa ȝeris to cum: Thai þairfoir halve conſentit to rais ane taxatioun, of twa hundretht pundis money, to be tane of þe haill inhabitantis þairof, worthie þairto, and namit þir perſonis to be ſtentares þairto, viz., Johne Flemyng, Robert Mr., George Herbertſoun, Robert Adame, Johne Tempill, Matho Wilſoun (and ſundry others) to be tane at twa termes, viz., þe firſt of Januare nixt, and þe ſecund at beltane nixt, and to convene on furiſdaye nixt, befoir none, at viij hora, in þe counſalhous.

SANCT MUNGOWIS BELL.

The quhilk daye, the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, with dekinis, coſt fra Johne Mr., ſone to umquhile James Mr., and Andro Lang, þe auld bell þat ȝed throw the towne of auld at þe buriall of þe deid, for þe ſowme of ten pundis money, quhilk þai ordanit Patrik Glen þair theſaurare, to paye to þame, and als grantit þe ſaid Andro to be maid burgeſs, gratis, quhilk bell þai ordanit in all tymes to remane as comone bell, to gang for þe buriall of þe deid, and to be gevin ȝeirlie to ſic perſoun as þai appoynt, for anys in þe ȝeir, takand cautioun for keping and delyuering þairof at þe ȝeris end.

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And þe ſaid Andro Lang, as ſone to umquhile M^r. Robert Layng, is maid inſtantlie burges, as ane burges ſone, gratis, for þe ſaid caus of þe bell, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelitie to the towne, and als for obſerving of þe ſtatutis þairof.

[*Adam—Pollok.*] 22 November. The quhilk daye, Johne Brown, as principal, and Patrik Glen, as cautionar for him, ar decernit and ordanit coniunctlie and ſeuerallie, þe allega^o^nes of partie being hard, to paye to Dauid Adame, and William Pollok, þe ſowme of thretty ſchillingis money, for ſkay^t^ ſuſtenit be þame, throu careyng of þair pottis be þe ſaid Robert, and brokin be him, within xv dayis nixt, w^t^ of expenſis.

[*Dauidſoun—Ramſay—Gawie.*] 26 November. The quhilk daye, Archibald Dauidſoun fiſcher, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for þe ſchutyng and caſting of Dauid Ramſaye in ane guttar; and als þe ſaid Dauid is fund in þe wrang, for þe hurting of þe ſaid Archibald witht ane drawin quhing^r^, aboue þe left (eie), to þe greit effuſioun of his bluid; and als Johne Gawie is fund in þe wrang also, for þe vngous taking of þe ſaid Dauidis key at his awin hand, but officiare, or command of ony magiſtrat, contrare all ordoure; and dwme gevin thairupone.

Thaireftir, the modificatioun of mendis, is referret to Dowgall Campbell, and Johne Hamiltone, ſteilbonet maker, and to convene togidder eftirnone, and þe ſaid Dauid hes fund * ſouertie for him, þat þair ſalbe na ſtrublans done be him, and for ſattiffeing of þe menis decreit, and William Crawfurd is becum ſouertie for þe ſaid Archibald, and Johne Gawie hes fund Johne Johnſtoun, als ſchelis, ſouertie for him, and þat þair ſalbe na ſtrublās done in þe meyne tyme.

[*Mur—Watſoun—Brwm.*] The quhilk daye, Johne M^r^, Matho Watſoun, James Mur, William M^r^, Johne Brwm, Robert Brwm, James Frebarne, Thomas Kirkuod, James Bar, Johne Watſoun, eldar, Johne Watſon, ȝounger, and James Watſoun, fleſcho^rs^, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for contravenyng of þe ſtatutes anent þe fleſche, and þat for þe ſecund falt, in cowponyng† of þe martis, vndir the oxtaris; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Knox—Johneſtoun.*] The quhilk daye, Adame Knox, hes payit þe haill ſowmes of money, contenit in þe decreit arbitrall pronuncit, betuix him and Thomas Johneſtoun, als ſchelis, and aſkit the ſaid Thomas forgiffenes, grantand þe offence.

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[*Brown.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Cochran is decernit and ordanit, be the aitht of partie tane, becaus ſche comperit nocht, to delyuer to Johne Browne, ane mekill greit ſeif, tane furth be her of his kill, within xv dayis next, wt. of expenſis.

[*Barbour.*] 3 December. The quhilk daye, Johne Barboure is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for þe ryding or. Euphame Thomſoun witht ane hors, and hurting of hir vpone þe fit, to ye greit effuſioun of hir bluid; and dome given þairupone: And is ordanit to gif hir xxt. in hand, and find ſouertie for þe reſt, according to þe declaraoun of þe proueſt and baillies.

[*Wilſoun—Anderſoun.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Wilſoun, James Anderſoun, Johne Anderſoun, Dauid Lyle, John Miller, Rot. Gamill, and John Watſoun, with þe barde, ar fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for contravenyng of þe ſtatutes, in ſlaying of fleſche, and wirking on þe ſondaye, contrare þe ſtatutes; and dome gewin þairupone, and ordanis to pas and poynd þairfoir.

[*Campbellis.*] 17 December. The quhilk daye, Dowgall and Coline Campbellis, tuik on hand, þat þe hors pleyabill betwix James Richie and Niniane Schaw, ſall, witht reſſonabill horſs, teill ane aiker of lang, for trying of his gudnes, ane newtrall man to be pleuman, and þat betuix and ȝule nixtocum, gif þe weddir ſerwe; and failȝeing þairof, to vnderly þe jugement.

[*Flemyng.*] The quhilk daye, Dauid Hall is decernit and ordanit be his confeſſioun, to reſſave fra Dauid Fleming, ten hogheids, blawin* and ticht, and to paye to him twa ſchillingis for þe grathing of ilk ane þairof, witht vis. viijd. for dichting of ane hundretht rungis, within xv dayis nixt, and to mak þe ſaid Dauid Flemyng cummirles thairof.

* Blawn, thoroughly seasoned.—Vid. Jamieson Voc. Tapone Staff.

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XXI JANUARY, MDLXXVII—VIII.

Foulare—Vniverſitie.

THE quhilke daye John Ffoulare, meſſinger, is creat and maid officiare to þe Vniuerſitie of Glaſgw, be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale of þe ſamyn, and hes gevin his aitht for leill and treu adminiſtra°un þairof, aye and quhill he be ſpēallie diſchargit þairof.

Gamill. The quhilk daye Margaret Grhame is decernit and ordanit, be þe aitht of partie referrit þairto, to paye to Johne Gamill, ſkynner, the swme of xxxvi^s. money, of male for mertimes laſt and vitſondaye to cum, deducand þairof ſum litill thing.

[*Snype.*] 31 January. The quhilk daye Johne M'Kyne is decernit and ordanit, be þe aitht of partie, referrit be him þairto, to delyuer to Johne Snyp, ane hagbute, w^t. twa flaſks, fyve puldir meſo^m., and ane pair of calmes, þe ſaid John Snyp, payand to him xx^s., borrowit be him þ^rupone, within xv dayis nixt, with of expenſis.

[*Flemyng.*] 4 February. Anent þe terme aſſignet to Johne Boyde, to enter Johne Watt, for geving his aitht about þe twa merks, in þe actioun perſewit be Dauid Flemyng and his ſpous: Becaus þe ſaid Johne Watt comperit nocht to gif his aitht, it is referrit to þe perſewaris aitht, quha deponit be þair aithis, xxij^s. promeiſt betwix ane auld pan and ane new, and twa beddis, and ane langſadle; and þairfore þai are decernit þairunto, w^t. iii^s. of expenſis.

STATUT—XXV FEBRUARY, MDLXXVII—VIII.

PROUEST, baillies, and counſale, hes ſtatut þat þe pynt of wyn ſall be na darar ſauld nor xl^d. þe pynt, undir þe pañe of fyve pundis money þe firſt falt: The ſecund falt, ten pundis money: And þe thrid falt, eſcheiting of þe hogheid of wyn þat is ſauld for mair.

[*Millare.*] 25 February. The quhilk daye Margaret

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Millare is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for ſteiking of hir durris, and not ſuffering þe proueſt, baillies, nor officiaris, enter þairinto, for weying of hir candill, and blaſpheming of þe officiares, þai poyndand for hir vnlaw; and dome gevin þairupone.

FISCHE WYFIS.

THE quhilk daye, þe fiſche wyfis ar decernit to abſtene fra regrating of þe mercatt, vnder þe pane of putting on þe goiſis.

STATUTE.

QUHILK daye, it is condiſcendit be þe proueſt, baillies, counſale, and dekynes, þat þe act maid anent the hagbuttis be renewit, þat euery ane ſubſtantious and habill man ſall have ane hagbutt, witht graitht, pulder, and bullet, effeiring þairto; and þat euery wtheris, nocht beand habill þairfoir, ſall have ane lang ſpeir, by jakkis, ſteillbonetis, ſuord, and bukler: and þat every dekyn ſicht þair craftis and gif up in ticat ſeueralie, how mony of þe ane ſort and how mony of þe wther; and þe baillies to ſycht and wiſie throcht þe merchandis and reſt inhabitantis, nocht haveand dekynis, and putt þame in ticattis lykvyſe, and þis to be ſichtit, and ticattis gevin up to þe baillies betuix and thuriſdaye nixt: And als þai have condiſcendit þat þe auld portis of þe towne be reformit and mendit.

[*Erll Eglintoun—Elphinſtoun.*] The quhilk daye, in pns of Maiſter Adam Wallace, baillie, comperit Maiſter Archibald Crawfurd, perſone of Egleſcheme, procurator, for Hew, Maiſter of Eglyntoun, on þat ane part, and George Elphinſtoun, glaſinwricht, burges of Glaſgw, on þat wthir part, parteis underwritten, and producit þis contract aftir mentionat, deſyring þe ſamyn to be inſert and regiſtrat in þe burrow court buiks of Glaſgw, to halve þe ſtrentht of ane decreit and

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act þairof; þe proueſt and baillies authoritie to be interponit þairto, witht executoriales to pas þairupone in forme as effeirs: Quhilk deſyre þe ſaid baillie thocht reſſonabill, reſſauit þe ſaid contract, and ordanit þe ſamyn to be inſert in þe ſaid buiks, interponit his authoritie thairto, deſernand þe ſamyn to halve þe ſtrentht of ane decreit of þe proueſt and baillies þairof, witht executoriales to pas þairupone, in forme as effeirs: Of þe quhilk contract þe teno^r. followis.

AT Polnone, þe xij daye of Julii, þe ȝeir of God, JꝎ. V^c. thre ſcoir ſeventene ȝeris, it is appoyntit contractit, and finallie endit, betwix ane nobill and potent Lorde, Hew, Erle of Eglyntoun, Lorde Montgūry, &c., on þat ane parte, and George Elphinſtoun, glaſinwricht, burges of Glaſgw, on þat wther parte, in mañer, forme, and effect, as eſtir followis: For ſa mekill as it wes contractit of beſoir, betwix þe ſaid erle and þe ſaid George, in the ȝeir of God, JꝎ. V^c. Lxviij ȝeris, þat þe ſaid George ſuld vphald and mantenew þe places of Ardroſſan, Eglintoun, Polnone, Glaſgw, and Cūray, in glaſſin work in þe ſamyn, in als gude eſtait as þai wer at þe making of þe ſaid contract: And quhat glaſſin windois þat ar fallin down, brokin, and dekayit in þe ſaid places, in defalt of þe ſaid George, glaſſinwricht, be reſſon þat ſen þe dait of þe ſaid contract, þe ſaid George hes nocht fulfillet his parte in reperralling of þe ſamyn, and in lykmañer wantis mekill of his ȝeirlie dewitie ſenſyne, quhilk dewitie extendis ȝeirlie to twa bollis meill and ane ſtane cheis: Quhairfoir þe ſaid George, glaſſinwricht, bindis and obliſs him, his airis, exe^rs, and aſſignayis, in þe ſtraiteſt forme of obligatioun þat can be dewyſit, to pas witht all diligence to þe foirſaidis places, mend, mak new, and reperrall, all þe foirſaidis places, in glaſſin windois, quhilks ar fallin and dekayit, in defalt of þe ſaid George, ſic lyk, and in als gud eſtait as þai war in þe ȝeir of God, JꝎ. V^c. Lxviij ȝeris, and als in all tymes cuming, induryng all þe dayis, ȝeris, and termes of þe ſaid Georges lyfetyme, ſall mantinew, vphald, and ſuſtene þe ſamyn places, togidder witht þe place of Irvyn, in glaſſin work, þe ſaid erle furneſand glaſbandis, ſoilburdis, lyme, and ſand; and in cais þe ſaid erle in ony times cuming mak ony new work, þe ſaid George to wirk ye ſamyn guid and ſufficient work, for þe price of thre ſchillingis money for ilk fute; And gif it happinis þe ſaid erle to hald hous in ony of þir foirſaidis places, quhen it ſall happin þe ſaid George to wirk, þe ſaid George ſall have his meit þe tyme þat he wirks; and als quhen þe ſaid George turſis* creillis of glas and leid to Irvyn, Ardroſſan, Eglyntoun, and Cumray, þe ſaid erle ſall caus ane carrage hors to

* Trusses, correctly to pack, but used throughout as meaning to convey.

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turs þe ſamyn out of Glaſgw: And als þe blawin down glas and leid þat is preſent in ony of þir ſaidis places, or ſall fall downe in tymes cuming, ſall be delyuerit and keipit to þe ſaid George, for reperraling and mendyng of þe ſaidis places, be reſſone he is ſubiect, be þir pñts to vphald þe ſamyn, and all þir premiſs to be completit in glaſſinwork betwix and Michaelmas nixtocum; or at þe fardeſt betwix and Loukyſmes: For þe quhilks premiſs, þe ſaid erle bindis and obliſſis him, to content and paye to þe ſaid George pñtlie in hand, foure bollis meill, witht twa ſtanes cheis, and ſall caus delyuer þe reſt of the ſaid Georges haill penſioun, of all ȝeris bigane ſen þe dait of þe ſaid contract, quhilks ar nocht payit and allowit in þe ſaid erles compt, þe ſaid George, glaſſinwricht, do ducand and defaikand of þe reſt of þe ſaid penſioun, ſamekill money as þe ſaid erle hes cauſit to deburs, and paye, for making, mending, and reperralling of þe places of Ardroſſan, Eglyntoun, and Polnone, ſen the dait of the ſaid contract, in the ȝeir of God, JCD. Vc. Lxviij ȝeris, be reſſoun þe ſaid George ſuld halve done þe ſamyn: And þe reſt of þe ſaid victuall and cheis, to be payit to þe ſaid George, betwix ȝule and candilmes nixtocum, with þe reſt of his cheis to be payit at allhallowmes: The ſaidis foure bollis of meill, and twa ſtanes cheis now preſentlie payit, to be allowit and defaikit in þe reſt of þe ſaid Georges penſioun, þat ſal happin to be fund reſtand awand him: For þe quhilk vphalding of the ſaidis places, as ſaid is, þe ſaid George ſall halve ȝeirlie, twa bollis meill and ane ſtane cheis, beginnand þe firſt payment of þe ſaid meill, betwix ȝule and candilmes nixtocum, and þe cheis, to midſymer þaireftir: And in cais þe ſaid George failȝe to fullfill þir premiſſis, betwix and þe daye appoyntit, þe ſaid George bindis and obliſſis him, to randir þe ſaid victuall and cheis agane: And attor obliſſis him by þat to fulfill þe ſamyn, and mak þe ſaidis places ſufficient in maner abouewritten: And baitht þe ſaidis parteis ar content, and conſentis, þat þis preſent contract be inſert and regiſtrat in þe court buke of Glaſgw, and þe baillies to interpone þair decreit heirto, and executioun to pas þairpone, baitht poynding and warding, þe ane without preiudice of þe wther, and to þat effect, makis, and conſtitutes, and ordanis honorabill men, weilbelowits, Maiſter Archibald Craufurde perſoun of Egleſcheme

to compeir beſoir þe baillies of þe citie of Glaſgw, ony daye or dayis, place or placis, and conſent to þe regiſtratioun of þis preſent contract in þe court buiks of þe ſaid citie, and þe baillies authoritie interponit þairto, and executoriales of poynding or warding to pas heirupone, in forme as effeiris, and þe ane not to preiuge þe wthir, (promitt. de rato): In vitnes of þe quhilk, the ſaid erle hes ſubſcrywit þis pñt contract witht his awin hand: And þe ſaid George hes cauſit the notare underwritten to ſubſcryve þe ſamyn for him, becaus he hes affermit þat

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he culd nocht write himſelf: Befoir þir witnes, Maiſter Archibald Craufurde, perſoun of Egleſcheme, Andro Newin of Monkredden, and Maiſter Patrik Wodrow, vicar of Egleſcheme, witht wtheris diueriſs: Followis þe ſubſcriptiones, Eglyntoun ———, "Ita eſt, Mr. Pticuis Vidderou norius pubus, ꝑdictum, Georgium, requiſitus, manu propria."

[*Herbertſoñ.*] 11 March. The quhilk daye, Jonet Herbertſoun, grantis þe intromiſſioun witht þe peice of altelȝerie, callit ane ring dog, allegand the ſamyn to be hir awin, and hir umquhile huſbandis, and wowis þe poſſeſſioun þairof.

[*Maxuell.*] 15 March. The quhilk daye, Jonet Finny, ſewiſter, is decernit and ordanit be probaoun of famous vitnes, to delyuer to Jonet Maxuell, dochtir to George Maxuell, four ſampillaris, within xv dayis nixt, witht of expenſis.

XXJ MARCH, MDLXXVIII.

APINSCHAWING. The quhilk daye, the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, witht dekȳnis pñtlie convenit, hes appoyntit þair vapinſchawing according to þr. ſtatute, to be on þe daye of þe Symerhill nixt, þat þai be as þai ar comandit, ilk perſoun vndir þe pane of xxs. to be tane be þe diſcretioun of þe ꝑueſt, baillies, and counſale, and to be beſtowit on þe calſaye making.

[*Johnſtoun.*] 9 May. The quhilk daye, Archibald Johneſtoun is maid and conſtitut calf hirde, for keiping of the calfis vpone þe greyne, for þis inſtant ȝeir, and he to halve meit and drink daylie about, of þame þat hes þe calfis, togidder witht vid. fra ilk ane þat hes þe ſamyn, and ſiclyk fra þame, þat hes land beſid þe greyne, for keiping of þair cornes, and þat na hors be fund þairupone vnlangalit;* and entir to ſerwice þe morne, witht power to þe ſaid Archibald to poynd for key or greit ſtirkis: Souertie for his ſeruice and guid reull, James Richie, cowper.

* Unlangeled, *i. e.* without a langel—Langel, a short tether by which the fore and hind foot of cattle were fastened, to prevent their wandering or breaking fence.

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[*Snodgers.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Schelis in ſchelis, as principal, and Johne Bar, maltman, cautioner for him, ar decernit and ordanit to content and paye to Nicoll Snodgers, ſaxtene ſchillingis for dampnage ſuſtenit be him, in none ſuffering him to leid his aſs: And alſua is decernit to ſuffer him to leid þe ſamyn, within xv dayis nixt, witht of expenſis.

PROUEST, baillies, and counſale, eftir admonitioun and warnyng diuers tymes maid to Beſſie Dowglas, for vphalding of þe kirk ȝarde deyk, and keiping furtht þairof, of all beſtiall, for reuerens of þe buriall to be had, as ſcho quha wes poſſeſſor þairof, and eftir hir refuſing þairof, þe ſkellat paſſand throw the towne diuers tymes, deſyrand ony þat wald cum to tak þe keiping of þe ſaid ȝarde, fra beſtiall, and repairing and vphalding þe deykis þairof for þe gerſs of þe ſamyn: Thai comperit nane to deſyr þe ſamyn, bot Johne Pantoun, officiare, quha acceptit to repair and wphald þe ſaid deyk on his expenſis, and keip furt þairof all beſtiall, ſymmer and vynter, for þe gerſs thairof to his ſelf, for þe ſpace of fyue ȝeris fra þis daye furtht, and þairfoir, þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, hes ſett him þe ſamyn, and appoyntit him keipar þrof, and grantit to him þe gerſs of þe ſamyn, during þe ſaid ſpace, he repairand and vphaldand þe deyks, and keiping it fra beſtiall, quha acceptit to do þe ſamyn as ſaid is, and Archibald Lyone hes becum cautioun for him, to þat effect during þe ſaid ſpace, ſua gif he reſſawis þe proffeit of gerſs ony ȝeir, he ſall keip and vphald it for þat haill ȝeir þane following.

[*Hamiltoun—Caulduell.*] 30 May. The quhilk daye, Thomas Hamiltoun, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for þe taking furtht of Johne Homillis hous, wrangulie at his awin hand, ane ſait burde, and ane weſchell burde, and ordanis him to reſtoir to him þe ſamyn inſtantlie agane: And als Johne Caulduell, maltman, in þe wrang, for aſſiſtene of þe ſaid Thomas in þe premiſſes; and dome gevin thairupone.

[*Roſs—Hanyng.*] 3 Junii. The quhilk daye, Johne Boyd, in conſideratioun of complaynt of nyborheid, maid contrar him for halding of his land ley, and eitting of þair ſtuff growand, grantit him chargit be oure ſouerane lordis letteris, to deciſt fra certane landes in Brūhill, at þe inſtance of John Roſs of Hanyng, and þat he obeyit þe ſamyn letteris, and left his poſſeſſioun, vpone þe quhilks, þe ſaid Johne Roſs of Hanyng aſkit actis of court.

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CRYPT UNDER THE CATHEDRAL

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[*Spreull.*] The quhilk daye, Margaret Adame is decernit to delyuer ane ſait burde to Thomas Spreull, to ſtand in hir hous ſet to him for þis ȝeir to cum, as inſycht guddis,* conforme to hir promeis, he giſand hir ane wther, for þat ſpace incontinent.

STATUTE.

ON Vitſontyiſdaye laſt, þair come nane, at þe leiſt ane ſmall nwmber, of honeſt men to accumpany þe proueſt and baillies, for viſeing of þair merchis of þe towne, conforme to þe auld vſe, quhairthro^t^, gif þair be na puniſment þairfoir þair will (be) nain in tyme cuming to do þe ſamyn: Thairfoir, the proueſt, baillies, and counſale, halve decernit all honeſt men of counſale, and counſell peris, dekyn, and dekyn peris, abill and ſufficient to be vnlawit, ilk perſoun for viij^s^, according to þe diſcretioun of þe proueſt, baillies, and counſall: And ſiclyk þat all ſic honeſt men, in tyme cuming, ſall † to ryde þat daye, as vſe wes, vnder þe ſaid pane of aucht ſchillingis ilk perſone, and þis act to be publiſt at þe Symmerhill.

The quhilk daye, it is ſtatut and ordanit, þat þe haill myddynis be removit of þe hie gait, and þat nane ſcraip on þe hie gait.

[*Lyone.*] 6 June. The quhilk daye, Johne Schelis, ſkipper, is decernit be probatioun of witnes, to paye to George Lyone, þe ſowme of twa merks, ſtirlyng money, for ulage ‡ of wyn, within xv dayis nixt, with xl^d^ of expenſis.

[*Montgumry.*] 10 June. The quhilk daye, Marioun Dunſlaye, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Eufame Montgūry, ſpous to Johne Hamilton, in ſtreking of hir on the face, and breking of hir buttir, and ſkalyng of hir ſiluer; and dome gevin þ^r^upone.

* Household furniture.

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IIJ JULY, MDLXXVIII.

QUHILK daye, Thomas Crawfurde of Jurdanhill, Proueſt, Maiſter Adame Wallace, and Robert Rowatt, baillies of Glaſgw, be þis pnt act, oblift and actit þā, to randir and caus to be delyuerit, fra þame and þair ſeruice of þe ſaid toun, to þe proueſt, baillies, and counſall of Dundey, within þe burght þairof, Valtir Brown, calſaye maker, quhom þai halve borrowit fra þe ſaid burght of Dūdey, at Michaelmes nixt, within þe ſaid burght of Dundey, to ſerve þair, and to be frie fra þame as of befoir, but fraude or cullor in oney ſort.

[*Wilſoun.*] 15 July. The quhilk daye, Marioun Wilſoun, relict of umquhile, William Maxuell being perſewit be Johne Arneill, for ane pair of hois ȝeirlie, þir nyn ȝeris bigane, becaus, as he allegit, ſcho promeiſt him ane pair ȝeirlie, during hir lyftyme, quhilk he referrit to hir aitht, quha denyit þe ſamyn ſimpliciter, and þairfoir is abſoluit þairfra.

[*Barry.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Hannaye, ſnapmaker,* is decernit and ordanit be his confeſſioun, to ſerve Johne Barry Loremeir, in making of snappis fra Vitſondaye laſt, quhill Mertymes nixt, becaus he confeſſit him feit with him, and to halve reſſauit xxx^s. of his fee befoirhand: And þe ſaid Johne Hannaye is ordanit to ſerwe þe ſaid Johne Barry, als lang eftir þe ſaid term of mertymes nixt, as he hes nocht ſervit ſen Vitſondaye laſt, viz., for þe ſpace of ane month, quhilk he ſuld ſerwe Umfra Galbraitht, ſen Vitſondaye, confeſſit awand to the ſaid Umfra, and to remane in firmance, quhill he find cautioun thairto.

[*Bowie.*] 18 July. The quhilk daye, James Witherſpwne, Lorymeir, is decernit and ordanit of his confeſſioun, to content and paye to Walter Bowie xxiij^s. money reſtand of Oiſmont Irne: Als Jonet Hamiltoun, ſpous to Thomas Gileſtoun, is decernit and ordanit be þe aitht of party tane, becaus ſcho comperit nocht to paye to þe ſaid Walter viij^s. for orchart litt, and ane pair cartes† within xv dayis nixt, witht twa ſchillingis of expenſis equallie to be payit be þame.

* Fire-lock maker, o. e. Snaphanse, a fire-lock. † Cartis, cards.

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[*Bofuel—Mathie.*] 22 July. The quhilk daye, Margaret Bofuell, and Margaret Mathie, fpous to Johne Neill, ar decernit of þair awin proper confeffiones and confent, þat gif þai, þair ferwandis or barnes, or ony of þame be fund amangis wther menis ftuff, pulland, fteilland, or ruggand of þe famyn, þai fall be baneift, burght and baronie, and gif ewir þai be fund þairinto agane, to be reputt as wordy of deid.

XIX AUGUST, MDLXXVIIJ.

Kennedy.

IN pns of Maifter Adame Walles, baillie, becaus Fergus Kennedy, fone to Dauid Kennedy of Knokdaw, halveand tak maid to him and his affignayis and fubtenentis, of the coilheuchis and colis within the Baronie of Glafgw, be ane reuerend fathir, James, Archbifchop of Glafgw, for þe fpace of thre zeris nixt following Michaelmes, in þis inftant Lx auchtene zeir, for þe zeirlie payment to þe faid reuerent fathir, of fourty pundis money, togidder wt threttene fcoir and ten laidis of colis, as in þe faid tak is contenit, hes maid and conftitut, as be thir pntis makis and conftitutis Matho Boyd, burges of Glafgw, his fubtenent and affignaye, in and to þe faid tak during þe faid fpace, to be vfit be him as þe faid Fergus mycht himfelf: Thairfoir þe faid Matho is decernit and ordanit, of his awin proper confeffioun, for him, his airis, exem, and affignayis, to relief and keep fkaithles þe faid Fergus, his airis, and affignayis, of þe faid fowme of fourty pundis money, and threttene fcoir ten laidis coillis zeirlie, during þe faid fpace of thre zeris, at þe termes contenit in þe faid tak, at þe handis of þe faid reuerend fathir, and wtheris haweand entres: And attour þe premiffis, þe faid Mathou is decernit of his confeffioun, to content and paye to þe faid Fergus, þe fowme of tuenty pundis money, and thretty laidis of coillis zeirlie, during þe faid thre zeris, at Candilmes and Lames, be equall portiones.

[*Hall.*] 26 Auguft. The quhilk daye Johne Buntene is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Margaret Hall, in ftreking of hir within his awin hous, and cafting of ane brag knyfe at hir, and breking of hir breid þis inftant daye; and dome gevin þairupone.

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[*Forthik.*] The quhilk daye James Forthik is cum in þe baillies will, for þe wrang done be him, in þe away taking of þe comone troyne ſtane to landwart, and vſing þe ſamyn þair furtht of þe toun: Souertie for fulfilling þairof: Johne Mr. fleſchor.

HE compt of Robert Rowatt, theſaurare of the burght and citie of Glaſgw of the ȝeir of God, JCD. Vc. Lx ſaxtene ȝeris, Vitſondaye and Mertymes þairof, maid in þe tolbuithe, þe thrid daye of September, þe ȝeir of God, JCD. Vc. Lx auchtene ȝeris.

[*Diſcharge and Exoneratioun.*]

Item, vpone þe xvi daye of Junii, 1576, to Eufame Campbell, ſpous to Andro Baillie, for xvi quartis wyne ꝓpynit to my Lord Boyd, proueſt, ſen Vitſondaye laſt, as þe rolmont beris, iiijlib. xvis.

Item, to þe ſaid Eufame, for ane gallown wyne, preſentit to my lord proueſt þe xxi of Junii, 1576, ane wthir þe xxij þairof, ane wther þe xxvi þairof, and half ane gallown þe xxvij þairof; togidder wt. twa quartis ꝓpynit to þe perſoun of Glaſgw, as þe rolmont bers. ilk gallown xxiiijs: Sua, iiijlib. xvis.

Item, on þe penult of Junii foirſaid, to Dauid Kaye, in Carrail, for his expenſis in remanyng about þe knok, he being ſend for, as þe rolmont beris, iijlib. vis. viijd.

Item, gewin to William Herwy þe xii of Julii, 1576, to ryn to Carraill, anent þe knok, as þe rolmont bers, xvis.

Item, gevin to Johne Neill, vpone þe xxiiij daye of þe ſamyn, for ryñyng agane to Carraill at Andro Bailie, baillies command, xvis.

Item, gevin to Dauid Kaye, for þe pryce of þe knok, and vpſetting of hir in þe tolbuitht, quhilk wes borrowit fra Thomas Garne be þe proueſt, baillies, and counſalis comand, jc. lib.

Item, gevin to þe maiſter of work, and deburſit be him, vpone þe bigging of þe foir work of þe tolbuithe, and ſetting up of þe bell, and grathing of þe tolbuithe in þis tolbuithe, in þis ſymmer, as þe particular compt maid þairupone beris, extends to þe ſowm of, jc Lvlib. ijs. viijd.

Item, vpone þe thrid of Auguſt, to Eufame Campbell, for aucht gallownes and twa quartes wyn, gevin to þe proueſt, fra þe vij of Julii laſt, to þis inſtant: And for twa quartis pñtit to Sr. James Hamilton, extending to nyn gallownes, as þe rolmont bers, xlib. xvis.

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Item, vpone þe xxii daye of Auguſt foirſaid, for certane wyne propynit and gevin to þe Lordis of Argile, Lyndſaye, Rathais, Dūfermlyng, Provand, quhen þai wer in þis toun, as þe compt and rolmont beris, xxv$^{lib.}$ iiij$^{s.}$.

Item, xx Julii, 1576, gewin to Andro Baillie, for ane twn of wyn þat wes gewin to my lord Boyde, proueſt, for obtenyng and getting of ane exemptioun of þe ny^{t}bo$^{rs.}$ of þe toun, for abyding fra all affyſis paſſing on, promeiſt to him þairfoir, Lxxiii$^{lib.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, xvi$^{to.}$ Septembris, 1576, to Dauid Hallis wyfe, for ane gallowne of wyn, preſentit to my lorde Glam̄is, chancler, being in þis toun, as þe rolmont beris, xxiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, quarto Octobris, 1576, to ane boy that come fra Dumbartane, fra the baillies þairof, anent ſalt tane fra þe larde Drumquhaſſill,* ij$^{s.}$.

Item, þe ix þairof, gevin to ane boy, to gang to Dumbartane, w$^{t.}$ anſſ$^{r.}$ anent Drumquhaſſills ſalt taking, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, xvij$^{to.}$ Octobris, to Dauid Kaye, in Carraill, for þe reſt of þe auld knok mendyng, and for his bunteth of þe new knok, as þe rolmont beris, vi$^{lib.}$ xiij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, þe xviij þairof, at þe baillies com̄and, to John Watſoun, officiar, for furmes, coillis, and peittis, bringing fra þe caſtell, v$^{s.}$.

Item, ſecundo Novembris, 1576, gewin for ane reuerſioun making of þe ſiluer, tane fra Thomas Bayne, and walx to ſeill it, witht wther inſtrumentis, as þe rolmont beris, xij$^{d.}$.

Item, þe xxviij daye of Nouember foirſaid, to Marioun Schakſchaw, for thre quartis of aquavitie, and turſyng of þame, ſend to Edinburcht, in propyne to Robert Scot, and M$^{r.}$ Alex$^{r.}$ Sym, iij$^{lib.}$ v$^{s.}$.

Item, to Matho Miller, for bringyng doun of þe counſalhous burd fur$^{t.}$ of þe Caſtell, xij$^{d.}$.

Item, for four faddum of towis to þe blakfreir bell, ij$^{s.}$.

Item, gewin to Eufame Campbell, be vertu of ane rolmont, daitit þe xxvi daye of October, for wyne, preſentit and gevin to þe proueſt, as þe particular compt and rolmont beris, xxi$^{lib.}$ xviii$^{s.}$.

Item, xix Februarii, 1576-7, to Johne Andro, for ſax futballis, xij$^{s.}$.

Item, þe ix þairof (Marche), to S$^{r.}$ Archibald Dicky, to by bed claithes, to ly beſyd þe knok, as þe rolmont beris, xv$^{s.}$.

* John Cuninghame, of Drumquhaſell, was one of the Commiſsioners (Seton of Touch the other) appointed to receive and keep the Caſtle of Edinburgh, when randerit by George Douglas, of Parkhead, till the Earl of Mar's coming.—Moyſie's Memoirs, p. 5, 1st April, 1578.

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Item, to Robert Lettrik, þe xvi daye of April, for ane gallown of wyn, propynit to Angus McConell, Lord McClane, as þe rolmont beris, xxiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, in Johne Wilſoun baillies hous þat day, þat Archibald Graye reſſauit þe mylne, eftir Mertimes, for þair diſjones, xl$^{s.}$.

Item, þe laſt of April, to George Elphinſtoun, for fyftene quartis wyn, reſſauit fra him be James Anderſoun, offi$^{r.}$, and propynit to my lorde Argile, and wtheris lordis, being heir four dayis bygane, as þe rolmo$^{t.}$ be^{rs}, iiij$^{lib.}$ x$^{s.}$.

Item, ix of Maii forſaid, for ane diſione in George Elphinſtouns hous, to þe baillies, and certane wtheris þat viſeit þe mylne, how ſcho ſuld be biggit, at þe baillies comand, xviii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Marioun Scott, þe xiiij daye of Maii, for ane gallown of wyne, ilk daye of þe x, xi, xii, xiii, dayis of Maii, and half ane gallowne at non, in þe xiiii daye, witht ane quart awand of auld, propynit to þe proveſt, extending to nyntene quartis, as þe rolmo$^{t.}$ beris, v$^{lib.}$ xiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, gewin to hir ſenſyn, for twa quartis, as ane rolmont beris, xij$^{s.}$.

Item, to James Wilſoun, for thre gallownes and ane half of wyne, propynit to my lorde proueſt, in þe forther end of Aprile, and latter end of Marche, as þe rolmont beris, iiij$^{lib.}$ iiij$^{s.}$.

Item, to Margaret Lyone, ſpous to Colene Campbell, for ſewin gallounes and ane quart wyne, propynit to my Lord Argile, Larde of Ardkynglas, and þe proueſt, befoir þis inſtant Maii, as þe rolmont beris, extending to, viij$^{lib.}$ xiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, decimo Maii, to George Burell, for ane tag, to þe towng of þe hie kirk bell, as þe rolmo$^{t.}$ beris, xx$^{d.}$.

Item, xviii Maii, 1577, to certane ȝoung men of þe toun, to þ$^{r.}$ playing, conforme to ane rolmont, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, to Johne Campbell, for compoſitioun promeiſt to him be þe proueſt and baillies, for renunceing and diſchargeing of his pley, contrare þe toun, as þe rolmont beris, xx$^{lib.}$.

Item, to S$^{r.}$ Archibald Dicky, for keiping of þe knok, Liij$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, to S$^{r.}$ Williã Struÿis, for male of ane chalmer to be ane ſang ſcole, þe ſaid ȝeir, (1577) xl$^{s.}$.

Item, to Johne Gib, for þe maill of þe hous þat þe commone tymir lyis in, as ane rolmont beris, xl$^{s.}$.

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XXX SEPTEMBER, MDLXXVIIJ.

ERLE OF LENNOX.

The quhilk daye, (ane) nobill and potent Lorde, Robert, Erle of Lennox, and lorde Darnly is maid burges and freman of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht for defence and mantenance of þe libertie and priuileges of þe ſaid toun.

PROUEST. The quhilk daye, comperit þe ſaid nobill lorde, Robert, erle Lennox, and producit ane letter of nominatioun and electioun maid to him, be ane reuerend fathir, James, Archibiſchop of Glaſgw, being alſua pūt [proueſt] of þe proueſtrie of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, ſubſcrywit be þe ſaid reuerend fathir, and ſeillit witht his ſeill, of the date þe penult, and eftir þe publik reding þairof, in oppin audiens, as alſueill, the ſaid reverend fatheris nominaᵒun of him be his awin mouth, in jugement to þe ſaid office of proueſtrie: The auld proueſt and baillie, witht counſale and communitie of þe ſaid citie being preſent, acceptit, admittit and reſſauit þe ſaid nobill lorde erle foirſaid, in þe ſaid office of proueſtrie, conforme to þe ſaid letter of nominaᵒun and electioun, and þairupone Richert Strang, procuratour for þe ſaid nobill Lorde, aſkit actes of court and inſtrumentis.

[*Crawfurde.*] The quhilk daye, proteſtit Thomas Crawfurde of Jurdanhill, auld proueſt, þat þe auld libertie and priueledge of þe town, be obſerwit and kepit.

[*Craufurde.*] 2 October. The quhilk daye, comperit Thomas Craufurde of Jurdanhill, auld proueſt, and allegit þat he wes put of þe counſale, bot ony falt, and uncallit þairfore, and proteſtit for remeid of law, and þat þe namyng and chefing of þe counſale, but his or þe auld baillies conſent, preiuge nocht his rycht, and þat þe libertie of the town be nocht hurt þairby.

[*Wallace.*] The quhilk daye, proteſtit Maiſter Adame Wallace, for him, and

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þe auld proueſt and baillies, pñt, and to cum, þat þe namyng and cheſing of þe counſall, by þair awyſe and conſent, be þe new proueſt and baillies, furtht of the counſalhous, preiuge nocht þe libertie of þe toun, nor induce na practik in tymes cuming.

[*Wallace.*] 3 October. The quhilk daye, proteſtit Maiſter Adame Wallace, that the cheſing of Richert Tode, or ony wther officiare, at þe requeiſt of my lorde Archibiſchop of Glaſgw, preiuge not the libertie of the toun, nor induce na vſe, nor conſuetude in tymes cuming; and þairupone aſkit actis and inſtrumentis.

[*Hendirſoun.*] 7 October. The quhilk daye, Henry Roſs, glaſſin wricht, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, be his awin confeſſioun, for trublans done be him to Aliſoun Hendirſoun, in hitting of hir with ane ſtane vpone the face, to þe effuſioun of hir bluid; and dome gevin thairupone, and for amendis and ſatiſfactioun of party, is ordanit to inſtantlie ſit doun on his kneis, and aſk forgevines.

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NDERSTANDAND þe murmor maid anentis þe malt metting, be þe comone mettar in tymes bigane, the baillies referrit to þe counſale, quhidder þai will diſcharge ſic ane mettar, or conſent to þe admiſſioun of ane for þe ȝeir to cum: The counſall adwyſand þairupoun, and for þe maiſt parte condiſcendit, that ane honeſt man ſuld be deput be þe baillies þairto, and to be ſworne to do vprychtlie in þe ſamyn office for þe ȝeir to cum, and he to reſſawe only bot foure pennies for ilk maſk metting, and gif he beis fund culpabill, to be diſchargit incontinent.

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OMPT of Patrik Glen, Thesaurare of þe burght, and citie of Glasgw, of þe ȝeir of God, JCD. Vc., threscoir sewentene ȝeiris, &c., maid in þe tolbuyt, þe daye of October, JCD. Vc, Lx auchtene ȝeris.

[*Discharge and Exoneratioun.*]

Item, payit to Marioun Scott, fra þe saxt of Junii, Lxxvii to þe xv þrof, for sax gallownes and ane half of wyne presentit to my Lord Boyd, wt wtheris strengeris, at þe proueſt and baillies comand, as þe rolmont beris, þe sowme of viilib. xvis.

Item, xia. eiusdem (Julii), to Marioun Scott, for sax quartis of wyne gevin upone þe xix and xxv of Junii, to my lorde proueſt, xxvis.

Item, xixto. Julii, to Marione Scott, for ane gallowne of wyne pntit to my lord Glames, xxiiijs.

Item, decimo Augusti, 1577, to Andro Duncane for his support, to mend him of his hurt, xiiis. iiijd.

Item, to Robert Stewartis wyfe, vpone þe xvii of August foirsaid, for ane gallowne vyne presentit to my lorde Glames, and vi quartis ppnyit to my lorde Boyd, proueſt, thre dayis þreftir, conforme to ane rolmont, at þe baillies comand, iiilib. vis. viiid.

Item, vpone þe xx daye of August, to Marione Scott, for twa gallownes vyne, gevin to my lorde proueſt in Julii last, viz., þe ferde and sift, and vpone þe xviii of August, witht wther lordis, strengeris, being wt him, conforme to ane rolmont, xlviijs.

Item, gewin and deburſit to Colene Campbell, for ane twn of wyn gevin to my lord proueſt, quhilk wes promeist to him for his gratitude done to þe toun, in keping of þame fra syndry particular raiddis* to þe court, þai being chargit þairto, and salfing þame fra wther inconuenientis, as þe rolmot be baillies and counsale beris, &c., iiixx. vilib. xiiis. iiijd.

Item, vpone þe xxviij daye of August foirsaid, to Agnes Hegate for xxii quartis

* Here used for Journeys to Court—properly means an invasion or incursion—perhaps a riding of any sort of a large multitude.

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wyne gewin and presentit to my lord proueſt, and biſchop, and wtheris being in cumpany witht þaim, at þe baillies comand, as þe rolmont ber^a., vij^lib. vi^s. viii^d.

Item, xxviij eiuſdem (Octobris), to Walter Brown, calſaye maker, for his expenſs in cuming fra Dundey, and gangand þairto agane, quhen he wes feit, conforme to rolmont, xl^s.

Item, eodem, gevin to Thomas Tempilltoun, and Petir Aikin, hirdis, for pouertie and almous, becaus þai gat na fee, xl^s.

Item, to Johne Houſtoun, for ane owlks laubo^r. at þe calſay, to ane compt, xx^s.

Item, to Robert Scott for wþ^r. thre doſand of (ſand), with withir ſtanes to fill vp þe hoill, þat the ſand wes tane out of, and filling þairof, conforme to þe maiſter of works ticat, xv^s.

Item, at þe maiſter of works comand, to Robert Graye, for ane plank of aik to be ane breid to þe tolbuitht dur, iij^s.

Item, for tua burdis to lyn the ſaid dur w^t., v^s.

Item, for half ane hundre^t. plenſcho^r. naillis to naill þame witht, xxx^d.

Item, to Thomas Hañaye, for mending of þe ower band of þe ſaid dur, and making of þe bowll þairof new, and laying ane quarter of Irne þ^ron, making of tua ryngis vpone þe cruikis þ^t. wes worne, v^s.

Item, for xviij new greit nalis, iiij^s. vi^d.

Item, to Robert Pettigrew, for ane dayis labo^r. vpone þe ſaid dure, vi^s. viij^d.

Item, for ane leddir in þe tolbuitht to gang vp to þe bell, x^s.

Item, to Robert Pettigrew for ane new brode to couer þe mone, and putting up þ^rof, xl^d.

Item, to James Roſs for peynting of it, ii^s.

Item, to Brewhous for twa cruix to put vp þe brode, viij^d.

Item, to twa men for bering of Nicoll Androis leddir fra þe freris to þe tolbuy^t. to put vp þe brod, and bering it agane, xii^d.

Item, for ane Tong to S^t. Mungowis bell, ii^s.

Item, to Robert Scott, for leding of thre doſand of pulder to þe calſay, and four doſand of ſand, vpone þe ſewint, aucht, and nynt dayis of Nouember, xix^s.

Item, to Robert Graye, for tymer to be ane meir,* iii^s.

Item, to Thomas Hañaye, for making of ane band of Irne to it, ii^s.

Item, for xii threif of quheit ſtraye, to theik the gramer ſcole, xlviii^s.

* A wooden frame used by masons—a treyn meir, a wooden mare was also a military instrument of punishment.

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Item, xix^to. Nouembris, to Andro baillie for xxxii quartes wyne gewin to my lorde Boyd, be þe officiaris, at þe baillies comand, ſen Michaelmes laſt, x^lib. xiij^s. iiij^d.

Item, to Dauid Halls wyfe for twa quartes wyne, xiij^s. iiii^d.

Item, xxi^o. Nouembris, to Johne M^r., for litill Sanct Mungowis bell, at þe baillies and counſales comand, x^lib.

Item, xii^to. Decembris, to Dauid Hallis wyfe, for vi quartes wyn tane be Robert Lettrik, Johne Watſoun, and Johne Stobo, on Sondaye befoir Michaelmes, and ꝑpynit to my lorde Boyde and þe biſchop, xl^s.

Item, xx^o. Decembris, to Eufame Campbell for wyne, iii^lib. vi^s. iiij^d.

Item, xii^o. eiuſdem (Februarii), to Johne Andro, for ſax futballis, xii^s.

Item, primo m^tii. for twa quartis wyn ꝑpynit to my lorde McClane, xiij^s. iiij^d.

Item, x^to. eiuſdem, for ane quart, ane pynt wyne, w^t. þre breid in þe counſalhous, to þe proueſt, baillies, and counſale, quhen pryce wes makand of þe wyne, xii^s. ii^d.

Item, to George Schaw, for ryñing to Ed^r. poſt diligens, wiþt ane bill to þe proueſt, anentis þe kingis G. writting ſend out of Striueling, about þe conuentioun, xxx^s.

Item, xvi^to. eiuſdem, to M^r. Adame Wallace and George Elphinſtoun, for ryding to Striueling, about þe conuentioun, at þe Kingis G. deſyre, x^lib.

Item, for half ane barrell hering ſend to Maiſter Alexander Sym, iii^lib. v^s.

Item, xx^o. eiuſdem, to Johne Fleming for ane pund of powd^r. furneiſt in Symer laſt, to þe ꝫoung men, as þe rolmo^t. beris, xi^s.

Item, payit to Hector Dūlop, Alexander Tañochill, and Fergous Donaldſoun, for keiping of þe ſtepill, cōforme to þe Kingis G. charge, viz., to ilk ane of þe ſaidis Hector and Alexander, oulklie, during þe ſpace of ix oulks, xxv^s., and to þe ſaid Fergous oulklie, xiiij^s., extending in haill during þe ſaid ſpace, xxviij^lib. xvi^s.

Item, to Patrik Colquhoun, for coillis left in þe ſtepill, vi^s. viij^d.

Item, to Archibald M^r., for making of ane tong to þe freir bell, viii^s. iiii^d.

Item, for lattoun to be ſelis to the pwir folk, iiii^s.

Item, iij^o. Maii, Lxxviii, to Dauid Hallis vyfe, for þre quartes Vyne, and twa queit breid in þe counſalhous, þe ſaid daye, w^t. ane gles q^lk. wes brokin, xxiii^s. iiii^d.

Item, for þe dowcatt on þe grene, vi^s. viij^d.

Item, gevin to Thomas Craufurde of Jordanhill, laſt proueſt, for obtenyng of þe exemptioun fra aſſyſis, þat he firſt gatt to þe toun, be þe baillies and counſales comandis, vi^lib. xiii^s. iiii^d.

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[*Pettigrew.*] 17 October. The quhilk daye, Johne Bartoun, cordiner, is decernit and ordanit be his confeſſione, as cautioner and ſouertie for Michael Morſoun, to content and paye to Martene Pettigrew, þe ſowme of xxxiii^{li} iiii^{d} money, wiþt ane pair of ſchone to his wyfe, for maill, wiþin xv dayis nixt, with of expenſis.

[*Wilſoun—Watſoun.*] 21 October. The quhilk daye, Johne Wilſoun is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for non perſewing of Johne Watſoun; and als þe ſaid Johne Watſoun lykvyſe in þe vrang, in non perſewing of him for trublans done be þame, ilk ane to wþeris; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Herbertſoun.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Dalrymple, tailzor, is decernit and ordanit be þe ay^{t} of party tane, becaus he comperit nocht, to content and paye to Jonet Herbertſoun, and delyuer to hir ane paitlatt of franch blak, wiþt weluot to graiþt and bar þe ſamyn, gewin to mak price þairof, xl^{li} wiþin xv dayis nixt, witht of expenſis.

XXV OCTOBER, MDLXXVIIJ.

NENT þe complaynt gevin in be Johne M^{r}, Matho Watſoun, and þe remane^{t} fleſcho^{rs}, induellaris in þis towne, aganis Johne Wilſoun, James Anderſoun, and Dauid Lyle, fleſcho^{rs}, and outtintownes burgeſs, for þe allegit wrangous vſing of þair occupatioun, wiþin þe fredome of þis towne, in ſlaying, hinging and ſelling fleſche, in all reſpects as þai do, albeit, þai duell not wiþin þe towne, as at mair lenþt is contenit in bill: The ſaidis þre defendars comperand, allegit þat þai my^{t} vſe þe occupatioun, becaus þai ar fremen, and hes payit þair ſtentis quhen þai occurrit: The ſamyn complaynt being referrit to þe baillies and counſale, quha awyſand þairwitht, for þe maiſt parte decernit and fand, þat ony outtintownes burges þat payes ſtentis, maye ſlaye þair fleſche wiþtin þe towne, and þat þai halve na preuilege to brek in ſmallis,* bot þat þai ſuld pñt and bring þair haill fleſche þat þai halve ſlane to þe marcatt, at ten ho^{rs} befoir

* To sell by retail.

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none all at anes, owþer be hinging on treis, or lying on hors bakis, in tymes cuming, and þat vndir þe pane of viij^{li} þe firſt falt; þe ſecund falt xvi^{li}; and þe þrid falt eſcheting of þe fleſche no^{t} pñtit, and ordanis þe baillies to pas þrow the mercatt þat þis ſtatut be obſerwit.

Proteſtit þe ſaid Johne M^{r}, and Maþo Watſoun, þat na new ñouatioun nor alteratioun be vſit againis þame, be outtintownes burgeſs, wþervyſe nor wes vſit of befoir, and deſyrit þe haill baillies and counſale to awyſe heirwiþt.

[*Barde.*] 28 October. The quhilk daye, Johne Hamiltoun, ſteillbonet maker, is fund in þe wrang and añchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Jonet Barde, in firſt caſting ane chandelar at hir, and þaireftir dinging and dowping of hir, to þe greit effuſioun of hir blude, and dwme gewin þairupone; and for amendis, is inſtantlie ordanit to paye hir viii^{li}, by þe baillies vnlaw, and confeſs his falt.

[*Brown.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Barde is fund in þe wrang and añchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Margaret Brown, in caſting of ſtanes at hir, and rugging of hir hair, and ſtreking of hir to þe effuſioun of hir blude; and for amendis, is ordanit to paye hir vi^{li}, and aſk hir forgevines, and to abſtene in tyme cuming, vndir þe pane of ten pundis money.

[*Cochrane.*] The quhilk daye, William Cochrane is fund in þe wrang and añchiament of court, for contemptiouſlie diſobeying of William Conynghame, baillie, and offi^{rs}, in non returnyng to þame, he being chargit be þame for following of ane naikit barne; and þairfoir is fund in þe wrang þairfoir, and amendis referrit to þe counſale.

[*Maſoun.*] 14 November. The quhilk daye, Margaret Maxuell and James Montgūry, ſpouſs, ar decernit and ordanit be þair confeſſiones, to delyuer to Sr Johne Maſoun, or Archibald Eglyntoun, his procurato^{r}, in his name, þe guddis following, viz., ane compter, ane furme, ane lang-kiſt, ane ſtokle, ane ſtule, ane ſchotill, ane Irne pott, ane litill preſs, ane futgang,* ane Irne raik, ane cuſchane, ane gluf, ane ax, and ane Irne chȳnaye, pertenyng to þe ſaid Sr Johne, and deliuerit be him to hir in keping, w^{t}in xv (dayis) nixt.

* Fitgang or Fedgan—a long, low chest, extending along a wooden bed, and used as a step thereto, whence the name.

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ERBERTSOUN—YOUNG.

The quhilk daye, þe baillies decernis and ordanis Allane Herbertſoun, to releve Johne ȝoung, wobſtare, of xvi^t money, as being þe half of xxxii^t money obtenit on þe ſaid Johne, for certane ȝarne ſtolne fra quhilk wes halflyngis þrow þe ſaid Allane delyct, and als ordanis þe ſaid Allane and Johne to big, mend, and repair, equallie, on bay^t þ^r expenſis, þe wall quhairþrow þe ſamyn wes ſtolne, incontinent.

[*Brwm.*] 18 November. The quhilk daye, Johne Brwm, fleſcho^r, is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for contrauening of þe ſtatutis, in ſelling of fleſche vpone þe ſaboþt daye, contrar þe ſamyn; and dwme gewin þairupone.

[*Blair.*] 2 December. The quhilk daye, Robert Blair is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, be his confeſſioun, for caſting doune of Johne Cochranes creillis of his hors bak, being full of fulȝe; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Graye.*] 5 December. The quhilk daye, William Craufurde is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for troublans done be him to James Graye, in ſtreking of him w^t ane gau, vpone ſindry partis of his body: And als, Kaþerene Craufurde, his dochter, and Marioun Hauſtones dochters, ar fund in the wrang, in rugging vp of ſtibbillis, and ſtopping of þe ſaid James to laubor; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Sellar.*] The quhilk daye, George Sellar, Baxter, is fund in the wrang and amchiament of court, in vſing of ane wrang ſtoip in mettyng of vley w^t þe ſamyn, to Dauid Donald, and is ordanit to miſſour þe rubo^r agane to him w^t ane juſt meſo^r; and dwme gevin þairupone.

[*Spreull.*] 19 December. The quhilk daye, Allane Maþie is decernit and ordanit be probatioun of famous witnes, to delyuer to Thomas Spreull his kowis hyd ſufficientlie barkit, betwix and nixt, wiþt of expenſis.

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XX JANUARY, MDLXXVIIJ—IX.

NDRO LECKY, merchand, is maid burges and freman of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his ayt. of fidelitie to þe towne; and als, for obſerving of þe ſtatutis þairof, quhais fynes wes gevin be þe laſt proueſt and baillies, be vertu of ane rolmont, ſubſcrywit wt. þair handis, of þe date þe ix of Julii laſt, to þe ȝoung men quha raid to Striueling to þe pliament in Auguſt laſt, to mak þair bendis.*

XXIIIJ JANUARY, MDLXXVIIJ—IX.

HE quhilk daye, þe bed of þe Almous hous, laſt poſſeſſit be umqhe. Thomas Crawfurd, is gevin be þe baillies and counſale, to Patrik Pettigrew, wryt., for his lyftyme, and ordanis ane letter to be maid to him þrupone.

[*ȝoung.*] 27 January. The quhilk daye, Alexander ȝoung, in Kirkſtyle, being accuſit for diſobeying of Johne Pantoun, offir. ȝiſtir nyt. in non entering beſoir þe baillies, he being chargit þairto, grantis þe falt, and is cum in þe baillies will þairfoir; and als being accuſit for iniuring of þe officiars, and þe haill honeſt men of þe towne, in calling of þame Lowſy Smyks, grantit þe falt, and become in þe baillies will lykvyſe þairfoir; þe baillies tuik to awyſe wt. þair willis to þe counſall, and to gif furt. þe ſamyn, aſſignit þe daye of nixt, and ordanis him to find cautioun for fulling þrof, quha fand John ȝoung, Vobſtar cautione for him, and þe larde of Balgraye is decernit to relef him of his confeſſioun þairof.

[*Lenzies Hill.*] 17 February. The quhilk daye, Archibald Lenȝeis and Johne Hill, and aþer of þem, ar fund in þe wrang, and amchiament of court, for trublans done be þame, ilk ane to wþeris in maneſſing, ſchuting, and ſchcwing, and drawing quhingaris to wþeris; and dome gewin þairupone.

* Bendis.—Bands, ribbons, or sashes.

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[*Pacok.*] 24 February. The quhilk daye, Gabriell Rankene is decernit of his confeſſioun, to delyuer to Johne Pacok þre tycht hogheiddis, Burdious bynd,* lent be him to þe ſaid Gabriell, wiþin xv dayis next, with xvi^d. of expenſis.

[*Daff.*] 24 March. The quhilk daye, Johne Hamilton, ſmy^t., is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublance done be him to Criſtine Daf, in ſtryking of hir w^t. his nevis on hir face and mouth, in hir moders hous, half ane (ȝeir) ſyne; als, Criſtine Winȝett, ſpous to þe ſaid Johne, is fund in þe vrang, for ſtryking of hir on þe brig on (Sondaye) laſt; and dwme gevin þ^r upone: and for amendis, ar decernit to aſk hir forgifnes on þ^r. kneis, and to paye hir viii^s., and to reſtoir to hir hir curſaye and muche, or ellis vi^s. viii^d. þ^r foir, incontinent.

[*Mackellar—Allanſone.*] The quhilk daye, Donald Mc Kellar is fund in þe vrang, for trublans done be him to William Allanſone, in caſting wp his malt in ane wþeris rowme, and trubling þe mylne; and als, þe ſaidis William, and Johne Monky, Johne Allanſone, Johne M^r heid, and Johne Lus, and Sherar, ar all fund in þe vrang, for cruell ſtryking of þe ſaid Donald w^t. ane pik on þe bak, and wþis partes of his body; and dwme gevin þairupone.

X APRIL, MDLXXIX.

NDRO GAMILL, mchand, is maid burges and freman of the burght and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aiþt of fidelitie to þe town, and keping of þe ſtatuts of þe mylne, quhais fynes, extending to ten^lib., wes gevin be þe baillies and counſale, to Maiſter Dauid Wemys, miniſter, to furneis burds and furmes to þe communioun, to be haldin wp and kepit be þe kirk in tyme cuming.

[*Jameſoun.*] 10 April. The quhilk daye, Johne Nicoll is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, be his awin confeſſioun, in haldyng of lows ſuyn w^t in þe territorie of Glaſgw, contrar þe ſtatutes, and ſkayting of S^r. Marke Jameſones ȝarde be þame, and is ordanit to amend þe ſkay^t. be ſicht of honeſt men.

[*W^t hirſpwne—Millare.*] 17 April. The quhilk daye, Alex^r. Millare is fund in þe wrang and amchiament of court, for trublance done be him to James Wiþer-

* Bynd—dimension—i. e. of the size used at Bordeaux.

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ſpwne, in firſt ꝑvoking him to combat, and þ^r^eftir in invadying him w^t^ ane drawin ſuord, and ſtryking him w^t^ þe scalbart þ^r^of on his face, and þe ſaid James is fund in þe wrang, for ane vrangus complaynt contrar Arch^d^ Powaye; and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Lowke.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Boill is fund in þe wrang, for ſtryking of Thomas Lowk, w^t^ ane elwand in hie mercatt ȝiſterdaye; and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

[*Robeſone.*] The quhilk daye, Dauid Donald is decernit, þe allega^o^nes of ꝑteis being hard, to content and paye to Johne Robeſoun xiiij^s^ for ane tod ſkyn, and vi^s^ reſtand for vly, w^t^ þe barrell, als gud as it wes, or ellis fo^rs^ þ^r^foir, w^t^ ii^s^ of expenſis, w^t^in xv dayis nixtocum.

XXVJ MAY, MDLXXIX.

Calfhird.

ATHO WILSOUN is maid and conſtitut Calfhird, quha hes fund Patrik Bell cautione for adminiſtratioun in his office, and is ordanit to have vi^d^ for ilk calf, and his meit daylie about, or ellis xii^d^ for ilk melte^t^,* gif þai failȝe, and to be poyndit þ^r^for.

[*Pawtoun.*] 24 July. The quhilk daye, Johne Brok, is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to Johne Pawtoun, tailȝor, in ſtryking of him w^t^ ane ſpaid, and invading him w^t^ ane Jeddart ſtaf,† on tyſdaye laſt; and dwme þ^r^upone, and þe ſaid Johne Brok fand Johne Nichol, and Johne Pawtoun fand Johne Robſon cautioneris rx^iue^, ayþer to wþeris, þ^t^ aþer ſuld keip wþer ſkaytles of ony dampnage, in ayþer of þ^r^ ȝardis at wþis hands þis ȝeir to cum.

* Melteth—each meal. † Jeddard Staff—a kind of spear.

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[*Hog.*] 28 July. The quhilk daye, George Layng is decernit, be ay^t. of pty tane, to paye to Johne Hog xxi^s. for ſtoking of gunnis, and to delyuer to him ane ſuord, and ane pair of new gayrdis, gevin to him to dicht, wiþin xv dayis nixt.

[*Mure.*] The quhilk daye, Hecto^r. Dūlop is decernit and ordanit, be ay^t. of pty tane, &c., to content and paye to William Mure xiii^s. iiii^d. for ane ſkyncoit, and xxx^s. reſtand of maill, w^tin xv dayis nixt, w^t. xx^d. expenſis.

[*Moreſone.*] The quhilk daye, Marione Stene, ſpous to Johne Legat, is fund in þe vrang, for trublans done be hir to Jonet Moreſone, ſpous to Johne Brown, in caſting ſtanes at hir diuers tymes, and breking of hir pig; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

XXXJ JULY, MDLXXIX.

GIPTIANES.

The quhilk daye, Robert Baillie, capitane of certane egiptianes, wes reddy, for himſelf and his cumpany, to anſ^r. at þe inſtance of Johne Pollok, greyn, for ony cryme, quha comperit nocht to pſew, and þ^rfor proteſtit for releve þ^rof.

[*Stewarde—Huchesoun.*] 7 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Jonet Huchesoun is fund in þe wrang, for ſcalding of ane barne of Katīne Stewards, w^t. hait wort, and þe ſaid Katīne is fund in þe vrang, for ſtryking of þe ſaid Jonet, ane grit ſpace þ^reftir; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

[*Stewarde—Millar.*] 11 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Hector Steward and Robert Miller ar bay^t. fund in þe vrang for trubling of þe town, aþer of wþeris and no^t. complenyng þ^rupon; and dwme gevin.

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XJ AUGUST, MDLXXIX.

IN pñs of þe baillies, ſittand in Jugement, comperit Hector Steward, and Robt. Miller, ꝑteis underwritten, and producit ane appoyntment (for regiſtration), of þe qlk þe tenor. followis: The qlk daye, in pñs of þe baillies ſittand in Jugement, it is appoyntit betuix Hector Steward on þat ane ꝑt, and Robt. Miller, burges of Aire on þat wþr. part, forſamekill as þe ſaid Robt. obliſs him to delyuer to þe ſaid Hector. ten crownes of þe ſoun,* pñtlie, in Scotland, for x crownes of þe ſone, qlk þe ſaid Hector conſignit in þe greifars† hands, nemit , of þe burs‡ of Burdeaux, for þe vtilitie of þe ſaid Robert, and þe ſaid Hector ſall ſubſcryve ſick writts in favorrs. of þe ſaid Robert, þt. may ſerue for vplifting þrof be him, furþt of þe ſaid greifars hands, as he or ony for him will dewyſe, and towart wþr. actiones betuix þame, þe ſamyn to be tryit be Juſtice, as þe ꝑteis pleſis ꝑſew be law; and in tyme cuming, to ſtand gude freyndis to wþris; in vitnes heirof, &c.

XIV AUGUST, MDLXXIX.

ANENT þe terme aſſignit to ꝑnunce vpone þe writts, ꝑducit in þe action ꝑſewit be Johne Colquhoun of Kilmerdony, aganis Johne Roſs of Hanyng, bayt. þe ꝑteis pñt; þe ſaid Johne Roſs allegit, na proces ſuld be led now in reſpect of þe feriat tyme, quhairfor þe baillies continewit þe effect of þe diet, as it is now to þe nixt law dayis eftir michaelmes ꝑtibs. cits.

[*Cottis.*] The quhilk daye, Katiñe Richie is fund in þe vrang be hir confeſſione, for þe wrangous taking of Dauid Cotts bucky, and caſtyng of it in þe well, and wthalding þrof fra him, and ſtreking of his ſerwand; and dwme gevin þrupone.

* Crowns of the Sun. † Greifar—Fr. Greffier, Recorder.
‡ Burs—Bourse—the Exchange.

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XXV AUGUST, MDLXXIX.

OHNE GRAYE, fiſcher, is maid burges of þe bur^t. of Glaſgw, and is ſuorn to þe toun, and for keping of þe ſtatuts of þe mylnes, and his fynes gevin gratis, at requeiſt of my lord erle Leñox, proueſt, be his miſſive daitit þe ix of Junii qlk contenis ꝑviſione, þat nane ſallbe reſauit agane be his letteris.

ILLIAM CONYNGHAME, ſiſcher, is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t. and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his ay^t. of fidelitie to þe toun, and for keping of þe ſtatuts þ^r of, and concerning þe mylnes, and þat for his laubo^rs. done towart my lorde erle Argyle, and be his requeiſt gevin gratis.

[*Gillies.*] 22 September. The quhilk daye, in pñs of þe baillies, Johne Auld, and Gelis Arkilſton, ſpouſes, ar fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be þame to Agnes Gilleis, in caſting ſtanes and dirt at hir, howſing hir, and putting fur^t. hir fyre violentlie; and dwme gevin þairupone.

STATUTE.

The quhilk daye, þe baillies, counſale, and haill dekynis, convenand in þe counſalhous, vnderſtandand þ^t. throw ſtorme of wedder, þair is ane certane greit ſalt coſt to þe communitie, extending to tuelf ſcoir pundis money, tynt and deſtroyit, and þ^t. þ^r. is nathing in þe comone purſs to ſatiſſie þ^r fore, and þat þe communitie hes bene oppreſſit be ſindry taxa^ones and ſtentis: Thairfoir þai ordainis and conſentis þat þ^r. be ane annuelrent of xxiiij^lib. of þe comone guddis vodſett, quhill redemptioun þ^r of, and ꝑmiſes how ſone occaſioun of ſtent or wþeris cūmis, to releve þe ſamyn in all gudelie haiſt.

[*Boſuell.*] The quhilk daye, Pātk McLyntok is fund in þe wrang, for trublans

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done to Elizt. Boſuell, ſpous to John Law, in taking of ane leg of muttoun fra hir, and for ſtryking hir ȝiſterdaye; and dwme gevin þron.

VIIJ OCTOBER, MDLXXIX.

IR MARK JAMESONE, tuke furt his lrēs of fundatioun to þe lepir, in ane buiſt þt. he gave in beſoir, and þat he promeiſt to rander it in agane.

[*Burell—Ramſaye.*] 13 October. The quhilk daye, George Burell is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to Dauid Ramſaye, in geving him þe lie, and þreſtir hitting of him witht his neif on þe haffat, and ſiclyk þe ſaid Dad. in þe wrang, for hurting of þe ſaid George in þe hand wt. ane quhyngr., to þe effuſion of his blude; and dwme gevin þairupone.

OMPT of James Blakburne, Theſaurare of þe burcht and citie of Glaſgw, of þe ȝeir of God JCD. Vc. thre ſcoir auchtene ȝeris, maid be þe ſaid James, &c., vpone þe xvi of October, þe ȝeir of God JCD. Vc. Lx nyntene ȝeirs.

[*The Diſcharge.*]

Item, xxij Maii, 1578, payit to Archibald Wilſoun, for ane twn of wyne gevin to my lord Boyd, for his help and procurement to ſalf þe toun fra Harlaw wod, and ſtent þairof, ꝑce, iiijxx. vijlib.

Item, viio. Junii, to Alexr. Tannothill, Hector Dūlop, and Fergus Donaldſon, for xv dayis vaige, for keping of þe ſtepill at þe kings cōmand, conforme to ane rolmont of þe proueſt and baillies, vilib. viijs.

Item, to Thomas Craufurde, proueſt, for his expenſis in paſſing to Striueling, and remanyng þr. at þe Kingis G. deſyre and charge, as þe rolmont bers., xxlib.

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Item, to þe Meſſinger at armes þ^t. gave þe charge þ^r to, be ane rolmont, vi^s. viij^d.

Item, xvii^o. Junii, to James Anderſoun, offi^r., to help to defend his caus befoir þe lords, being ꝑſewit be Johne Campbell, þe tyme he wes in office, conforme to ane rolmont, iij^lib.

Item, eodem, to Hector Dūlop, Alex^r. Tanno^c hill, and Fergus Donaldſon, in complete payment of þ^r. waiges in all tymes bigane, for keiping of þe ſtepill, vi^lib. viii^s.

Item, to William Hervy, 26 Junii, 1578, to pas to Dundey for þe calſay maker, xx^s.

Item, eodem, to Ker, þe Kings G. poſt, þ^t. brocht ane vritting fra Stirling,* v^s.

Item, pen^to. eiuſdem, to Duncan Finlaye, for þe maill of ane chalmer to be ſangiſſcole, xl^s.

Item, x^to. Julii, to Steill, to help to cure his leg, xl^s.

Item, to twa boyis, to gang to Kilm̄dony w^t. vrittingis ſindry days, and to Potterhill abo^t. þe biſchop, iiij^s.

Item, to Malcom Hamilton, for ſcurgeing of thre thiefs, iii^s.

Item, to ane boy fra Dumbartane, about ane ſchip of ſalt of Robt. Houſtons, and ane wþ^r. for Mungo Stewards, iiii^s.

Item, to ane boy to turs ane bill to o^r. ꝑueſt, xii^d.

Item, to þe Commiſſioners þat paſt to Dumbartane to by þe ſalt, at twa tymes, xxi^s.

Item, xx^o. Julii, to Margaret Spang, for xx^lib. pulder ſend to þe proueſt to Stirling, x^lib. xviij^s.

Item, xxix^to. eiuſdem, to Willie Hervey, to ryn to Stirling to þe proueſt, viii^s.

Item, quinto Aug^ti., to M^r. Adā Walles, and George Elphinſtoun, to ryd to Stirling, anents þe charge gevin and ſend to þe toun be þe lords in Falkirk, vi^lib.

Item, vi^to. eiuſd. for ane ell taffatie, and v unce ſilk, to be ane penſall† to þe raid of Stirling, iiij^lib. x^s. iiii^d.

Item, vii^to. eiuſd. to James Ritchie, to pas to Dumbartane, to by ane ſchip of ſalt, xiiii^s.

Item, viii^to. eiuſd. to Johne Scherar, meſſinger, for þe copie of þe proclamatioun of Stirling raid, vi^s. viii^d.

* At this tyme, their come at command of the Kingis letter, certane men, weill bodin in airmes, furth of the burrowis of Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth, to keip gairdhouse in the toun of Stirling, during the Parliament.—Moyses Memoirs, p. 11.

† Penſall—a ſmall ſtreamer—Fr. Pennonceau.

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Item, to Walter Muntgūray, for ane pair breiks and ſhankis, gevin to Johne Cuthbert, at þe baillies comānd, iii$^{lib.}$ vi$^{s.}$ viii$^{d.}$.

Item, to Katerine Huntare, for vefyng of frēzeis* to þe penſall, vi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, to Johne Mure, for þe diſione to þe ȝoung men, þat day þai raid to Stirling, iii$^{lib.}$ xiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, xvii$^{to.}$ Aug$^{ti.}$ for twa hors to Stirling, and ii boyis w$^{t.}$ þe prouefts peces,† xlix$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

Item, xviii$^{to.}$ Aug$^{ti.}$, to Robert Rowat, for ſuſtenyng of ane of þe Commiſſioners at Stirling ꝑliament, v$^{lib.}$.

Item, to him as deburſit at þe prouefts comānd to þe Commiſſioners of Ed$^{r.}$. xiij$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

Item, to him as deburſit to Johne Cuthbert drumers expenſis þ$^{r.}$, xxvi$^{s.}$ viij$^{d.}$.

Item, xxv Aug$^{ti.}$, 1578, to Andro Baillie, for wyne, propynit to my lord Boyd findry tymes, reſauit be þe offi$^{rs.}$ at þe baillies comānd, conforme to ane rolmo$^{t.}$, xxiiij$^{lib.}$ xii$^{s.}$ v$^{d.}$.

Item, ix$^{to.}$ 7$^{bris.}$, 1578, to Effe Campbell, for iii q$^{rts.}$ wyne, gevin three findry dayis to my lord Boyd, xxiiij$^{s.}$.

Item, xii$^{to.}$ 7$^{bris.}$, to Willie Hervy, for tarying in Dumbartane, about my Lord Argiles oift, xiij$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

Item, tertio Octob$^{ris.}$, 1578, to Effe Campbell, for v gallownes of wyne, pñtit to þe erle Leñox, and wþ$^{r.}$ lordis, being in þe toun at þis Michaelmes, vii$^{lib.}$ iii$^{s.}$.

Item, xv eiuſd. to John Scherar, meſſinger, for þe copie of þe proclamatioun to þe raid of Dūfreis, iii$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

Item, to ane boy þ$^{t.}$ bro$^{t.}$ ane vritting fra Dūdey. iii$^{s.}$.

Item, xvi$^{to.}$ eiuſd. to Gawane Grhame, to ryd to Stirling, to my lord Leñox, proueſt, about licenſe to byde fra Dumfreis raid, iii$^{lib.}$.

Item, ix$^{to.}$ Dec$^{bris.}$, to George Elphinſtone, William Conynghame, and Rob$^{t.}$ Rowatt, to ryd to Dumbartane, to by ane ſchip of wyne, at þe townes comānd, vi$^{lib.}$.

Item, xii$^{o.}$ eiuſd. to ane boy fra Dumbartane, about þe ſchip of Air, ii$^{s.}$.

Item, xv$^{to.}$ eiuſd. to Marione Roſs, for vi g$^{a.}$ ii q$^{rts.}$ wyne tane be þe offi$^{rs.}$, and preſentit to my lord erle Leñox, proueſt, x$^{lib.}$ viii$^{s.}$.

Item, quinto Januarii, to James Wilſoun, for ane gallowne wyne, pñtit to my lord Arbro$^{t.}$, xxiiii$^{s.}$.

* Weaving of fringes. † Peces—vessels for holding liquid—but see before, p. 48, pece differently used.

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Item, quinto Februarii, to George Elphinſtone, deburſit be him for obtenying of ane new exemptioun to þe toun, twa crownes of þe ſone, þce iiii$^{lib.}$ iiii$^{s.}$, w$^{t.}$ ii half m̃k peces drynk filuer, ſu$^{a.}$, iiii$^{lib.}$ xvij$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

Item, xi eiuſd. to ane boy to pas to Irvin abo$^{t.}$ þe pilleit geir be Ingland vi^{s} viii$^{d.}$.

Item, to Agnes Hegate, for wyne p̃tit to my lord Boyd þe laſt ȝeir, xxviii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Marione Wilſoun, for half ane gallowne wyne, p̃tit to my lord Leñox, at Michaelmes, xvi$^{s.}$.

Item, to Willie Hervy, for his travellis in þe townes effairs, xiii$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

Item, to Dauid Hall, for aucht gallownes wyne, tane be þe offi^{ers}, and gevin to my lords Leñox and Boyd, at diuers tymes, xiii$^{lib.}$ xii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Agnes Gilleis, for xxii pynts aill, gevin to þe townes men at Cadder, quhen þai met þe artalzerie to Hamilton, xiiii$^{s.}$ viii$^{d.}$.

Item, to Agnes Hegait, for ane galloune wyne ꝑpynit to my lord Angus, xxiiii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Marione Scott, for ane gallowne wyne, preſentit to þe biſchop of Glaſgw be þe baillies, xx$^{s.}$.

Item, to þe menſtrales, for þair expenſis to Hamilton ſege, x$^{s.}$.

Item, to ane boy þat remanit at Kilſy$^{t.}$ about þe ordinance bringing, v$^{s.}$.

Item, to Johne Andro Cordiner, for ſax futballis, xii$^{s.}$.

Item, in Maii, 1579, for thre gallownes wyne preſentit to þe crowner and cannonars, iii$^{lib.}$ xii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Dauid Hall, for half ane gallowne of wyne, gevin in Ap$^{le.}$ to þe biſchop of Glaſgw, xii$^{s.}$.

Item, to William Smy$^{t.}$, for thre gallownes wyne, preſentit to my lord Morton, and half ane gallowne to þe biſchop of Glaſgw, in Ap$^{le.}$ laſt, iiij$^{lib.}$ iiii$^{s.}$.

Item, to Colene Campbell, for v q$^{rts.}$ wyne, and ane laif, gevin to my lord Leñox, on þe greyne, on horſbak, on Witſondaye, 1579, xxv$^{s.}$ iiij$^{d.}$.

[*Browne—ȝoung.*] 20 November. The quhilk daye, Beſſe Brown, and Marione ȝoung, ar of þ$^{r.}$ awin ꝑper confeſſiones manſuorne, and decernit to abſtract þame furt of þe burcht and baronie of Glaſgw, in tymes cuming, and conſentis, gif þai happin to be fund þairunto, to be drownit, but dwme; and to depart incontinent furtht þairof.

[*Spreull.*] 27 November. The quhilk daye, Adame Richie is decernit in þe vrang, for trublans done be him to Henry Spreull, in iniuring, manaſſyng, and

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evill ſpeking of him, quha wes complenand to þe Magiſtrates, for vrang done in þ^r· preſens; and dwme gevin þairupone.

VIIJ JANUARY, MDLXXIX—LXXX.

HE quhilk daye, George Herbertſoun is fund and decernit, be probatioun of famous witnes, in þe wrang, for þe iniuring and diſperſoning of George Elphinſtoun, ane of þe bailȝeis of Glaſgw, in cuming to him on þe hie gait þ^rof, and ſaying, how he durſt be ſa part* to deill ony vynes w^tout his avyſe, and incontinent þaireftir, for drawing of ane quhinger, and mytene þairwiþt to þe ſaid baillie, and þaireftir madiatlie, for iniuring of þe ſaid George, baillie, w^tin þe tolbuy^t· of Glaſgw, geveand to him mony iniurious words, ſick as knaif, ſkaybell, matteyne, and lowne, and that he wes gentillar nor hie, haveand his hand on his quhinger, ruggand it halflines in and out, and þat he carit him no^t·, nor þe land þat he hed nowþir, w^t· diuers wþīs iniurius words: And atto^r· þe ſaid George Herbertſone is fund in þe wrang, for contemptius breking of ward, for paſſing furþt of þe tolbuy^t·, he being chargit be Richert Tod, offic^r·, to remane þairinto, for his contemptione abouewritten, and þat bot ony ordo^r· or cautioun fund and refarit, as aucht to have bene: And als, þir p̄miſſis done be þe ſaid George Herbertſone, vpon þe xxiiii of December laſt bipaſt; and dwme gevin þairupone.

XXVJ APRIL, MDLXXX.

UHILK daye, James Craig being pſewit be Johne Hauſtoun, for twa ſerks, and ane garmo^t· of clay^t·, allegit promeiſt be him to þe ſaid Johne in buntebt, is abſoluit þ^rfra, becaus he denyt þe ſamyn be his ait, it being referrit þairto.

[*Flemyng.*] The quhilk daye, in p̄ns of þe baillies

* Ready—Fr. Pret.

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with Johne Steward of Bowhous, (and findry oþers counſellors), James Flemyngs compt of his reſſate fra James Blackburne, to þe calſayis, þe tyme he wes maiſter of work, wes examinat, hard, and endit, and he fund ſuperexpendit in vi$^{lib.}$ xv$^{s.}$ vi$^{d.}$, and ordanit him to be payit þ^{r}of.

Sellar.

TEM, John Sellars, compt, as collector of þe calſaye ſtent, hard and endit, and admittit to him for his laubo$^{rs.}$ xvij$^{lib.}$ xij$^{s.}$, and ſa he is diſchargit of xii$^{xx.\ libs.}$ intromiſſion.

Baillies.

HE ſaid haill counſale haveand conſideration of þe baillies greit travellis and laubo$^{rs.}$, afeld and hame, in effars of þe town, grantit them twa perſones to be maid burgeſſes at þ$^{r.}$ requeiſts.

[*Landes—Steward.*] 29 April. The quhilk daye, Hector Steward, and Walter Landes, ar bay$^{t.}$ fund in þe wrang done be aþer to wþeris, in holkyng wp of ȝard dyks, and cutting of hegeis; and dwme gevin þ^{r}on, and ordanis aþer to repair wþers ſkay$^{ts.}$.

[*Hamilton—Brown.*] The quhilk daye, þe baillies and counſale vnderſtandand be probatioun, þe iniuris and ſclander done be Marg$^{t.}$ Hamiltoun, and Jonet Browne, hir dochter, to findry ny^{t}bo$^{rs.}$, ordanis þame to be putt on þe croce on monondaye nixt, w$^{t.}$ papers on þ$^{r.}$ heids, þ$^{r.}$ to remane fra x ho$^{rs.}$ q$^{ll.}$ xii ho$^{rs.}$ and þ^{r}efter, to aſk þe ꝑteis forgiſnes, quhair þe flyting wes, and to abſtene fra lykdoing in tyme cuming, vnder pane of baniſment þe toun.

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STATUTE.

TEM, becaus þar ar greit enormite done be findry pticulars, in bying of frefche falmont in greit to falt, fua þat þe towne can not get ony in fmallis, to ferue þame; for remeid qrof, it is ftatute and ordanit, þat all fic falmont falbe pñtit to þe m̃cat, togidder at anes, and gif ony beis fauld vnprefentit, gif þai can be apprehendit to be efchetit, wþrwyfe þe byar in greit, befoir xii hors of þe daye, to be in þe vnlaw of xlⁱ. þe firft falt, þe fecund falt vlⁱⁱⁱ, and þe thrid, in crying downe of þair fredvme, by the efcheting; and gif ony towns man meit þe fifche cumand to þe mercatt, or ȝet reffatts owtintownis men, wittandlie doand þe famyn, to incur þe faid panis.

[*Hall—Struthers.*] 22 May. The quhilk daye, Dauid Hall, and Cōvell Struthers, ar maid merchands to þe fchip of falt coft fra George Cochran, for xlⁱ. þe boll.

CURIA.

ITSONDAYE COURT—XXIV MAY, MDLXXIX.

Falts gevin wp be þe outlandemeris.

Johne Hamilton, fmyt, hes tane furt of þe mowthe of þe fuyrd, paffand to þe watter of Clyde, on þe eiftend of þe brig, certane erd to mend his ȝarde, and big his hous, quhilk is þe ruyne of þe litle greyn.

William Symfon, þe minifters tenant, hes tane in of þe cōmone befyd Skellenis myre, ane rude of land and mair, and þt he hes diminifit þe loyne paffand to Skellenis myre grittumlie.

Conwell Struthers hes brokin þe cōmone, and laid ane hundret drawt vpon his land.

Item, we fynd in generall þe haill cōmoun lonys aboutt þe town brokin and diminifit, caftin and led in pticular lands, and diuers m̃che ftanes awaye.

The paffage befyde Colene Campbells is alluterlie deftroyit.

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The litle greyn is lykvyſe in prell of peryſing.

[*Homill.*] 24 June. The quhilk daye, Marione Scherar is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be hir to Thomas Homill, ſone to Johne Homill, in ſtryking of him, and ſchuting of him on ane ſtane, to þe effuſioun of his blude, and is ordanit to pay þe leche, and gif to him for amends xiij$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$.

[*Lawſoun.*] 1 July. The quhilk daye, James Reid, and Jonet Reid, ſpouſs, ar decernit be ay$^{t.}$ of þty tane, &c., to content and paye to Andro Lawſoun þe ſowme of xii$^{lib.}$, contenit in þe ſaid James obligatioun, w$^{t.}$ xxx$^{s.}$ of borrowit money, and xxxii$^{d.}$ for twa punds plumdames,* and þe ſaid Jonet to paye him vi$^{s.}$ viii$^{d.}$ for ane ell of double playds, and for ſaip xi$^{s.}$, wiþin xv dayis nixt, w$^{t.}$ ii$^{s.}$ of expenſis.

[*Wryt.*] 5 July. The quhilk daye, James Anderſone, merchand, is fund in þe wrang for ſtryking of Iſabell Wricht, and caſting hir our ane tre, violentlie; and dwme gevin þ^{r}upone, and is ordanit to pay for mends and expenſis x$^{s.}$ incontinent.

[*Clemy.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Lindſaye, and Robert Murdo$^{t.}$ hir ſpous ar decernit to delyuer to Archibald Clemy ane lang caliver w$^{t.}$ ſnap†, price iii$^{lib.}$, he payand þame xx$^{s.}$ w^{t}in xv days nixt, w$^{t.}$ of expenſis.

V JULY, MDLXXX.

QUHILK daye, George Pollok, merchand, is maid burges and freman of þe bur$^{t.}$ and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelity to þe town, and his fynes, viz., x$^{lib.}$ q̃po$^{t.}$ for, wes deliuerit to þe baillies, and deburſit be þame in Edin$^{r.}$, and allowit to þame in þe end of þ$^{r.}$ expenſis maid þ$^{r.}$, laſt raid for effars of þe towne.

* Plumdamas—Prunes.

† A caliver gun was a light gun with a *match* lock; here therefore, the meaning is a long light gun with a *snap* or *lock*.

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RAIGMAK—VJ JULY, MDLXXX.

The quhilk daye, þe court fenſit be þe baillies at Craigmak, and þ^r^eftir callit þe ſute roll, and ꝓclamit þe fair.

[*Tempill.*] 22 July. The quhilk daye, William Wilſoun, meſſinger, is fund be probatioun of witneſs in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to Robert Tempill in poſſill, in ſtryking of him w^t^ ane ſuord and ſcalbert on þe heid, and þ^r^eftir invading him w^t^ ane drawin ſwerd, ſtrykand at him, and all wtheris beſyde, upon þe xix daye of Julii inſtant, and for mendis, is decernit to ſitt doun on his kneis at þe croce, to aſk God and him forgifnes, and to paye for expenſis vi^s^ viii^d^: And als þe ſaid Robert maid fay^t^, he dred þe ſaid William of bodelie harm, and lykvyſe William maid fay^t^, he dred Robt, and aþ^r^ deſyrit lawſoũtie of wþīs, and þe ſaid William fand Nicol , Gawane Hamilton, Johne Wilſoun, m̃chand, and Ro^t^ Hucheſoun, ſeverallie vndir pane of iii^c^ m̃ks, and James Bowe becum ſouertie for þe ſaid Ro^t^, vndir þe ſaid pane of lawſoũtie, and þe prin^lis^ is decernit to releve þ^r^ ſouerties.

[*Speir—Hervy.*] 29 July. The quhilk daye, Jonet Speir is fund in þe wrang, for ſtryking of Marg^t^ Herveys barne and hir mother, w^t^ hir feit and hands: And James Hervy, Chriſtene Riche, Marione Cuthbert, Marg^t^ Hervy, and m̃gt Wilſon, ar all fund in þe wrang, for ſtryking of þe ſaid Jonet Speir, caſting ſtanes at hir, and taking ane pot fra hir; and dwme gevin þ^r^upone.

IV AUGUST, MDLXXX.

OHNE GAWAYE, fiſcher, is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t^ and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his ay^t^ of fidelitie to þe toun, and for obſervatioun of þe ſtatutes of þe mylne and wþīs, and componit w^t^ for x^lib^, be reſſon he wes hereit wiþt Ingliſmen þis ȝeir. In þe the^ra^ hands.

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CURIA.

The court of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw, haldin in þe tolbuyt. þrof, be ſpeciall diſpenſatioun of þe feriat tyme,* be hontl. men, George Elphinſtoun, and William Conȳgham, baillies, þe xii day of Auguſt, þe ȝeir of God, &c., Lxxx ȝeirs, þe ſuttis callit, þe court confermit, Dempſter, John Andro.

XVJ AUGUST, MDLXXX.

UNCAN CAMPBELL, merchand, is maid burges and freman of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw, and gevin his ayt. of fidelitie to þe town, and for obſerving of þe ſtatuts of mylne and wþīs as vſe is, quhais fynes wes gevin be þe baillies and counſale, to þe ȝoung men of þe town, for furneſyng of pulder to þame, beſtowit in þe towns neceſſar effars.

[*Lyoun—Roſs.*] 19 Auguſt. The quhilk daye, Marione Roſs and William Lyoun, ſpouſes, being ꝑſewit be Dauid Ros, as air of umqtl. William Roſs, for non delyuerance of ane franche blak cloik, ane dowblett of cowgrayn, ane pair breiks of frenche blak, ane lyneing ſark, ane belt, ane quhynger, ane pair gartanes, wt. wþīs guddis, ar abſoluit ſimplr. þrfra, in reſpect of þe diſcharge ꝑducit of all þings, &c.

XXXJ AUGUST, MDLXXX.

ITILJOHNE, in pñs of þe baillies, William Litiljohne ſmyt., ſone to umqutl. Robert Litiljohne, burges of Glaſgw, is maid burges and freman of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his ayt. of fidelitie to þe town, quhais fynes wes remittit to him grats, be þe baillies, ꝑtlie for pouertie, and ꝑtlie at requeiſt of his broþer.

* In other entries this is called "Clois tyme"—harvest holidays.

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[*Andirſone.*] 6 September. The quhilk daye, William Andirſone cowper, being accuſit for iniuring of William Conynghame, baillie, in Jugement, ȝifterdaye befoir none, and contempning of him, and vtraging of him judiciallie, beand executand of his office: The ſaid William Andirſone comperand, grantit þe offence in ſpeking of raſche wordis, and come in þe baillies and counſales willis þ^r^foir, quha be declaration þairof, ordanit þe ſaid William Andirſone to remayne in þe tolbuy^t^ quhill frydaye nixt at x hor^s^, at q^lk^ tyme, ordanis him to ſit on his kneis at þe croce, þ^r^ to aſk þe baillies and coñſale forgivnes, and immediatlie þ^r^eftir ordanis his fredome to be cryit doun.

[*Wylie.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Anderſone, cordonar, is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to John Wylie, in invadyng him w^t^ ane drawin quhinger, and bluyding him þ^r^w^t^: Als Andro Andirſone in þe wrang, for cruell caſtyng doun of þe ſaid Johne Wylie, and ſtreking of him w^t^ handis and feit, and pulling his berd: And James Graye, and Johne Andirſone dry leddir man, in þe wrang, for invadyng and ſtreking at þe ſaid Johne Wylie, w^t^ drawin quhingers and halbertis, all ȝifterdaye þe v of Nouember, (Septembre) inſtant, þe tyme of proclama^o^un of o^r^ ſouerane Lordis lres, about paking and peling.

[*Graye.*] The quhilk daye, Johne Law is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him, in ſtryking of Archibald Gray, wry^t^, and his wyfe, cruellie w^t^ hands and feit, and invadyng be drawin quhinger, twa ſindrie onſettis, eftir þai were red, ȝifterdaye, and dwme gevin þ^r^upone; and for amendis, þe ſaid Johne is decernit to defalk to þame xviii^i^ det, awand be þame to him; and abſoluit þame fra payment þairof.

[*Naſmy^t^.*] 13 September. The quhilk daye, Marg^t^ Naſmy^t^, being accuſit for ſteling of beir and cornes, confeſſit þe ſamyn, and wes decernit, of hir awin confeſſion, to be baniſt and abſent hir, fur^t^ of þe burght and barony of Glaſgw; and gif ever ſcho wer fund þ^r^into, to be drownit bot aſſyſe; and to dept to þ^t^ effect w^t^in xxiiii ho^rs^ nixtocum.

[*Blayre.*] 21 October. The quhilk daye, Martene Pettigrew is fund in þe wrang, for taking awaye of ane lokit dur, w^t^ key of ane ſtabill, occupeit be Ro^t^ Blair, and caſting doun of þe rigging and thak þ^r^of; and is ordanit to repair þe ſkay^t^ incontinent.

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XXV OCTOBER, MDLXXX.

OHNE DOWGALL meleman, is maid burges and freman of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his aitht of fidelitie to þe towne, and for kepyng of þe ſtatuts; and his fynes wes gevin, be þe baillies and counſale, to Johne Houſtoun maſon, in bunteþt, for making of þe calſaye upon þe brig, as þe rolmont beris.

[*Riche.*] The quhilk daye, Jonet Cliddiſdale is fund in þe wrang, for iniuring of James Riche counſalor., in ſaying he had ane wrang furlott; and is ordanit to ſit doun and aſk him forgifnes, and to abſtene fra ſiclik in tymes cuming, vndir þe pane of xla. ilk falt.

[*Makildowny.*] The quhilk daye, George Herbertſoun is decernit, be his awin confeſſioun, to entir McSparran hielandman, at þe inſtance of Robert McIldownie, in þe tolbuyt., wtin viii dayis eftir mertymes nixt, or ellis to paye to þe ſaid Robert þe ſowme of xxviii m̃ks money, at þe ſaid daye.

STATUTE.

Item, it is ſtatut be þe baillies and counſale þat na copparis of ſmall ſalt, induellars in þe toun, nor ȝit owtintownis men, by ony ſalt in greit, in tymes cuming, quhill ix hor. of þe daye, þt. þe town and fiſchers may be ſeruit, vndir þe pane of viiia. ilk falt.

XVJ DECEMBER.

[*Landes—Glen.*]

NENT þe terme to pronunce vpon þe impugnationes, producit be Thomas Glen, contrar Valter Landes, it wes judiciallie aggreit betuix þe pteis, and þe ſaid Valter inſtantlie reſſauit fra þe ſaid Thoas. twentylib. money, and þrfor renuncit þis actioun, wt. contract quhairupon it wes grundit, togidder wt. all title he had to þe ſaid Thomas mylne daye on Kelvyn. And þe ſaid Thoas. wes content,

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gif he happinis to ſell þe ſaid mylne daye to ony perſone, he ſall diſpone þe ſamyn to þe ſaid Valtr., and to na wþeris, for ſic prices as wþeris nytbors ſellis þair mylne daye, ony tyme cuming: and þrupon, aþir of þe pteis aſkit actis of Court.

CURIA CAPITALIS POST NATALE DÑI.

THE heid Courte eftir ȝule, of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, haldin in þe tolbuitht of þe ſamyn, be honourabil men, Robert Steward, Hector Steward, and Johne Grhame, baillies þrof, þe xvii daye of Januar, þe ȝeir of God JCD. Vc. four ſcoir ȝeiris (1581); þe ſuttis callit, þe Cort. cõfermit. Dempſtare, John Andro.

Na ſcab nor waiþt.

Lepir,

Betty Auld, Patrik Bogle, maltmã, Andro Lawſon, m̃chand,
—— Powhous, Jonet Spang, —— Gardiner,
Jonet Steward, James Mr., fleſchor.

Na bluds, wardbrekings, nor deforcements.

XXVIIJ JANUARII, AÑO DÑI MDLXXX—J.

DIE sabbati—in preſens of þe baillies and counſale, in counſalhous, James Bryſs wobſter, is maid burges and freman of þe burght and citie of Glaſgw, and hes gevin his ait. of fidelitie to þe towne, and for keping of þe ſtatuts of þe mill and wþers; and his fynes wes remittit to him gratis, at þe requeiſt of my lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw moderne.

[*Grhame.*] The quhilk daye, þe prebendaries of S. Andro, S. Martene, and *trium puerorum*, in þe new Kirk of Glaſgw, laſt poſſeſt be umquhill Sr. Robert

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Watſon, and now vacand in þe baillies and counſales handis, be his deceis, wes gevin to Alex^r. Grhame, ſone to Johne Grhame baillie, for þe ſpace of fyve ȝeiris nixtocum, for his ſuſtenta^one at þe ſcholes, and þat be þe baillies and counſale; And ane tak ſett be him agane to þe toun, for twenty pundis ȝeirlie.

STATUTUM, XXIV FEBRUARY, MDLXXX—J.

HE quhilk daye, þe baillies, counſale, and haill dekynis, condiſcendit and aggreit, to haif and vſe þe meſo^r. of ſtoipis, according to þe jug mett, as is in wþ^r. townes, and ordanis þe townſchip to be warnit to bryng þ^r. ſtoipis, to be maid and meſorit þ^rw^t., vndir þe pane of xvi^s., and eſcheting of þe ſtoipis, eftir þe warning, and diſobeying þe ſamyn; and ordanis þe craftiſman to have, for ilk pund ve^t. of pewder vorking, vi^d., and for þe only plovkyng* of wþ^ris, iiii^d.; and þe treyn ſtoipis to be plovkit and m̃kit lykvyſe.

VIJ MARCH, MDLXXX—J.

[*Dauidſoun.*]

RCHIBALD DAUIDSONE, fiſcher, is maid burges and freman of þe bur^t. and citie of Glaſgw, and gevin his ay^t. of fidelitie to þe toun, and for keping of þe ſtatuts þ^rof: quhais fynes wes gevin to Thomas Myln chirurgiane, be þe baillies and counſale, for his curing of Thomas M^ns. hurt in þe townes beſynes, and p̄miſt to him be þame þ^rfor, as þe rolmont beris.

[*Bar.*] 17 March. The quhilk daye, Marione Snodgers is fund in þe wrang, for byting of Robert Bars ſeruand on þe Ee, cruellie, to þe effuſioun of his blude; and for ſtopping him to tak ane maſk fatt, becaus ſcho failȝeit to p̄f it hir awin; and dwme gevin þ^rupone.

* Plugging? reducing to proper size by means of a plug of metal run into it.

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[*Lokert.*] Anent þe complaynt of trublens, pſewit be John Lokert in Burrofeld, aganis Johne Herbertſone, and Johne Pollok, contenit in bill, bering, þat q^r. on þe v of Ap^le. inſtant, þe ſaid Johne Lokert wes doand his leful beſynes, vpon his rentalit landis and ſteding of Burrofeld, haveand na ewill in mynd, nor doand na ewill, to na maner of pſones; no^t. zeleſs, þe ſaidis Johne Herbertſoun, and Johne Pollok, movit be ſum vickit ſprite, as apperit, vpon þe ſaid daye at þre eftirnone, come to þe ſaid lands, and cruellie ſett on him w^t. rungis, and battounis, ſtaiffs, and dang him þ^rw^t. in his arme, and face, and handis, to þe effuſioun of his blude, but ony falt, and brak þe rungis and battounis on him, and wald ſlane him, wer no^t. Goddis g. and help of ny^tbo^rs.; deſyring þame to be decernit conjunctlie in þe vrang þ^rfor, as at mair lenþt is contenit in bill. All þe ſaidis pteis perſonalie pnt. The ſaidis Johne Herbertſone, and John Pollok, grantit þe offens done be þame to þe ſaid Johne Lokert, conforme to þe ſaid bill; and referrit þe amendment þ^rfor, to ony four freyndis þe ſaid John Lokert pleſis to cheis. The quhilk offer þe ſaid Johne Lokert acceptit, and wes content to nõiat freynds to þat effect, betuix and Vitſondaye nixt. And, in þe meyn tyme, Gawane Grhame is becum cautioun for þe ſaid Johne Lokert, and George Herbertſone, for John Herbertſone, and Johne Herbertſone for þe ſaid Johne Pollok, þat na trublans ſalbe committit, on ony of þ^r. ſyds to wþeris, vndir þe pane of þre hundreþ mks on ilk hand; and þe ſaidis pteis to releve þ^r. cautioners þ^rof.

[*Robertoun.*] The quhilk daye, Williame Johnſtone is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be him to Stewin Robertoun, mchand, in towking of him on þe hie gait; and dwme gevin þ^rupon.

[*Allane—Ralſtoun.*] The quhilk daye, Margaret Ralſtoun is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Agnes Allane, ſpous to Pat^k. Wilſoun, in ſtryking of hir, and ſkaling of hir leiks at þe croce; and ſiclik þe ſaid Agnes is fund in þe wrang, for ſchwting of þe ſaid Margaret; and dwme gevin rx^ive. þ^rupone.

[*Wan.*] The quhilk daye, Archibald Conynghame, dene of Donone, as principal, and Normo^t. McKyny, as ſouertie for his entre, ar decernit and ordanit conjunctlie and ſeueralie, to content and paye to James Wan, þe ſowme of ſax mks xl^d. money, reſtand of þe price of ſax furlottis beir, aucht^a. for twa doſand of quheit breid, twa^s. for ane pund of feggis, ix^d. for ane pund of plumdames,

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and xiii$^{s.}$ iiii$^{d.}$ for certane vnȝeone ſeid, and reid, coſt and reſſauit be þe ſaid Archib$^{d.}$ fra þe ſaid James, and þat becaus þe ſamyn being referrit to þe ſaid Arch$^{ds.}$ aiþt ſimp$^{lr.}$, þe ſaid Normo$^{t.}$ failȝeit to enter him.

[*Aikinſoun—Anderſone.*] The quhilk daye, Martene Akinſone, in Kirkintillo$^{c.}$, is fund in þe wrang, for trublans done be him to Johne Anderſone tailȝo$^{r.}$, in taking his playds fra him violentlie; and dwme gevin þ^{r}upone.

[*Stewart.*] The quhilk daye, Robert Stewart, Colene Campbell, and Barbara Hegait, ſpous to Johne Farquhar, ar decernit and ordanit to delyuer to Hecto$^{r.}$ Stewart baillie, þre quarteris of þe ſchip callit þe Salmō$^{t.}$; and to renunce all rycht and title þai have þ^{r}to, in favo^{r}s of þe ſaid Hecto$^{r.}$; and to reſſave fra him þe ſowme of fourtene ſcoir pwndis money, for þe q$^{lk.}$ þai ſauld þe ſaid þre quarteris, w$^{t.}$ þe ꝑtinents; and receavit ilk ane of þame receavit erlis, viz., þe ſaid Robert, half ane teſtane,* and ilk ane of þe reſt, ane half m̃k pece, and to delyuer to him all ry$^{ts.}$ and evidentis þat þai have of þe ſaid ſchip, w$^{t.}$ hir furnito$^{r.}$ and ꝑtinents, belanging to þe ſaid þre quarteris, conform to þ$^{r.}$ ꝑmiſes, wiþtin xv dayis nixt.

[*Johnſoun.*] The quhilk daye, Iſobel Anderſone is fund in þe wrang and amerchiament of court, for trublans done be hir to Jonet Johnſoun, in ſtryking of hir w$^{t.}$ ane rok; and dwme gevin þ^{r}upone.

[*Wilſoun—Lyndſaye.*] The quhilk daye, Marione Anderſone, dochtir to umquhile Johne Anderſone, is decernit and ordanit to delyuer to James Wilſoun, and Jonet Lyndſaye ſpouſis, ane braſſyn pott, ane pan, ane mantil, þre pewdir plaitts, ane weſching tub, ane kiſt, twa trunſcho^{r}s, ane ledyn trunſcho$^{r.}$, ane vylie coit,† ꝑtening to þe ſaid James and Jonet, and wrangulſlie receavit and reſett be þe ſaid Marione, fra Eufame Wilſoun þ$^{r.}$ dochtir.

* Testoon—a silver coin, varying in value, so called from the head on it.—Fr. Tête.

† An under vest, or under petticoat.

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CURIA.

HE Court and Cōuentioun of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw haldin in þe tolbuyt. þrof, in of þe ſamyn, be honobl. men; George Elphinſtoun and Willā Conÿghā auld baillies þe auld counſale for nēmyng of lytis of þe baillies þis ȝeir to cum þe ferd daye of October, þe ȝeir of God JM. Vc. four ſcoir ȝeirs.

PROUEST.

The quhilk daye, comperit Matho Steward of Mynto, and producit ane procuratorie, maid and ſubſcryuit be ane noble and potent lorde, Eſme erle of Leñox, Lord Dernly and Obeyngȝe, togidder wt. ane writting of James Archbiſchop of Glaſgwis, nominatand and preſentand þe ſaid noble and potent lord, in proueſt of þe ſaid burt. and citie of Glaſgw, for þis ȝeir to cum. Quhilk nominatioun, þe auld baillies and haill counſale, acceptit glaidlie wt. reuerence, and ordanit ane cōmiſſioun of þe proueſtrie to be maid in forme, and ſelit wt. þe cōmone ſele, to þe ſaid nobill Lord, in mañer vſit and wont, during þe ſaid ſpace. And als þe ſaid Matho Steward, is creat ane of þe counſale of þe ſaid toun, quha hes gevin his ayt. to þat effect.

YTIS lytit be þe auld baillies and auld counſale, to be pñtit to my lord Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, for nēmyng of þre or twa of þame in baillies, allwayes requeiſtand to name þre for þis pñt ȝeir.

George Elphinſtoun, } auld baillies,
Williame Conÿghame, }
Robert Stewarde,
Maiſter Adame Walles,
Hectour Stewarde,
Johne Grhame,
Robert Rowatt,
Johne Wilſoun, pewderar.

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The quhilk daye, Gawane Grhame tuke note, þat he wes repellit fra lyting, becaus he wes maifter of work, and of þe office onlie.

UHILK daye, ꝑteſtit maiſter Adame Wallace, in name of þe baillies, counſale, and tounſchip, þat þe nēmyng of þe auld baillies to be lytis, be not ꝑiudiciall to þā, to induce ony vſe or practik of neceſſite þrof, in tym cuming.

Quhilkis lytis being pñtit to James Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, and he awyſand þrwt, he nōinat þir þre baillies for þe ȝeir to cum:

George Elphinſtoun,
Williame Conȳghame,
Robert Rowatt.

IE SEXTO OCTOBRIS, Aᵒ DÑI, &c., MDLXXX.

[*Prouoſt—Baillies.*]

THE quhilk daye, þe ꝑveſt and baillies commiſſiouns wes ſelit, and þe ſaidis þre baillies acceptit þr comiſſioun on þame, and gaif þr aiþis for dew adminiſtration in þr office, duryng þe tyme þrof.

[*Fleſchorꝭ.*] The Fleſchorꝭ lettir of dekynheid wes ſelit wt þe toun ſele.

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DIE VIJ^a. OCTOBRIS, ANNO DÑI MILLES^o. QUĨGES^o. OCTUAGESIMO.

Conſiliū pro pñti año nominat: per ballivos.

Maþo Steward of Mȳto,	David Lyndſaye, elder,
Maiſter Adame Walles,	Archibald Lyoun,
James Flemyng,	Johne Stewart of Bowhous,
Robert Stewart,	Andro Baillie,
Malcolme Stewart,	Johne Grhame,
Maþo Wilſoun,	George Herbertſon,
Hector Steward,	Johne Flemyng,
Robert Mure,	Robert Adẽ, the^r.,
Gawane Grhā, maiſt^r. work,	Johne Lyndſaye,
Archibald Wilſoun,	Williā Trūbill,
James Lyoun,	Johne Wilſon,
Thomas Pettigrew,	George Burell,
Convell Struþers,	James Craig.
Johne Clerk,	

DIE VIIJ^a. OCTOBRIS, ANNO DÑI JM. V^c. LXXX°.

HERBERTSOUN.

The quhilk daye, þe baillies and counſale, vnderſtandand þ^t. George Herbertſones fredome wes cryed doun, and þat ſenſyne he had done ſatiſfactioun for þe falt, þ^rfor, þai ordaint him to be reſſauit freman agane, grat^s.: Quha pñtlie wes reſſauit and maid fremā of new, and gave his ay^t. þ^rto, as vſe is.

[*Counſale.*] The perſounes nōīat ī counſale, acceptit þ^r. office, and gave þ^r ay^ts. for dew adminiſtration þ^rinto, as effeirs.

[*Wattir Baillie.*] The quhilk daye, Maiſter Williā Logane is continewit in Vattir baillie, for þis ȝeir to cum, and gevin his ay^t. þ^rwpon.

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FFICIARIS for þis pñt ȝeir, nēmit be þe baillies and counſale, are ordanit to keip þe ſtatuts maid þe ȝeirs preceding; and to find cautioun for dew adminiſtratioun þ^r^into, and repondyng for þe gudds to be poyndit be þame. And gif ony of þame comitts falt wordy of depriuatioun, þai to be deprivit incōtinēt, be þe baillies and counſale.

Johne Pawtoun, hes fund souertie, Gilbert Hall.
Robert Lettrik, ſoũtie for him, Robert Erſkyn.
Richart Tod, ſoũtie for him, Johne Hamilton, Smy^t^.
Andro Anderſoun, ſoũtie for him, Johne Anderſon, dryledd^r^.

Comone procurator for þis ȝeir,
Maiſter Adame Wallace.

YNARIS for þis pñt ȝeir,

Gawane Grhame,
Maþow Wilſoun,
Johne Flemyng,
Valter Johnſoun,
James Flemyng,
Robert Mure,
Johne Wilſoun.

Keiparis of þe keyis,
Gawane Grhame, keipar of þe vter dur key,
Maþo Wilſoun, ane of þe keyis of þe mekle ſchrȳn,
George Herbertſoun, þe wþer þ^r^of,
Archibald Lyoun, ane of þe keyis of þe litle kiſt,
Andro Baillie, þe wþer þ^r^of,
James Flemyng, keipar of þe key of þe litle box,
Dauid Hall, þe hyngand lok key of þe ſchryn.

And immediatlie þ^r^eftir, þe baillies and counſale condiſcendit and conſentit to þe making of þir ſtatutis following, for þis pñt ȝeir.

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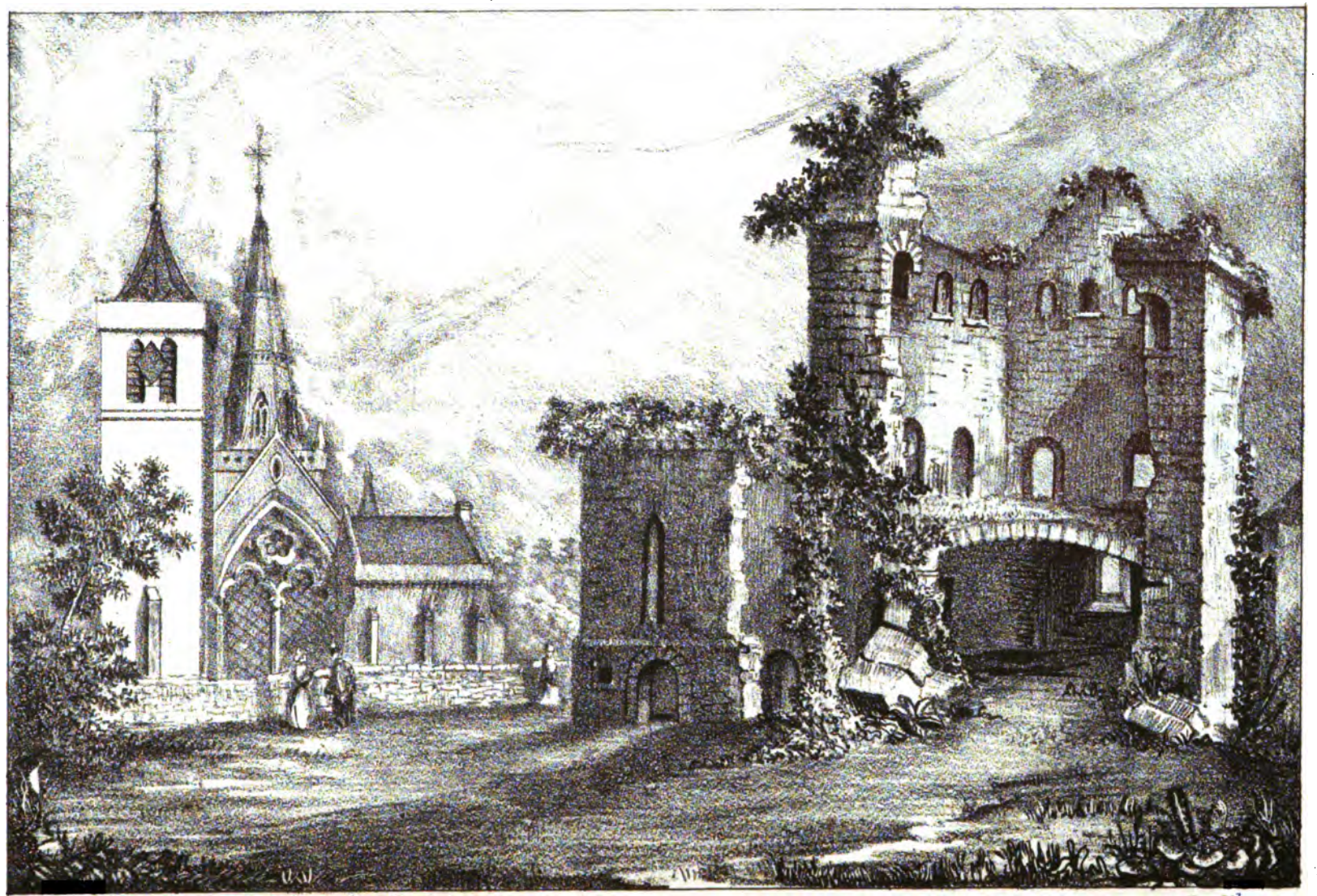

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RUINS OF THE ARCHBISHOP'S CASTLE,

FROM KIRK STREET.

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IE DECĨO NONO MĒSIS OCTOBRIS, ANNO DÑI JꝎ. Vc. LXXXo.

[*Baillies.*]

The quhilk daye, comperit Maþo Stewart of Mynto, and producit ane act of ſecreit counſale, ſubſcryuit be Johne Andro clerk þrof, beryng, þat George Elphinſtoun, William Conȳghame, and Robert Rowatt, had dimittit þair office of baillierie for þis ȝeir, at þe Kingis g. requeiſt, but preiudice of election of þe magiſtratis in tymes cuming, of þe date þe xv daye of October inſtant; and ſiclik producit ane lettir, nominatand Robert Steward, Hector Steward, and Johne Grhame, to be placit in þr. rowmes, as baillies for þis ȝeir to cum, quhill Michaelmes next, ſubſcryuit be James, Archbiſchop of Glaſgw, datit at Edir., þe xvi daye of October inſtant, in pñs of þe auld counſale of þe ȝeir preceding. Quhilk twa writtings, þe ſaid auld counſale acceptit, and ordanit commiſſioun to be maid and gevin to þe ſaidis þre perſones new preſentit, and þe ſaidis twa writtings, to be inputt in þe comone kiſt. Quhilk comiſſioun wes inſtantlie maid and ſelit, and þe ſaidis writtings inputt in þe kiſt. And þe ſaidis Hector. and Johne inſtantlie reſſauit and acceptit on þame, and gaif þair aiþis for lele and trew adminiſtratioun, conforme þrto, quhill Michaelmes next.

Baillies newlie electit,
Robert Stewarde,
Hector Stewarde,
Johne Grhame.

DIE XXo. OCTOBRIS, ANNO DÑI JꝎ Vc. LXXXo.

OHNE GRHAME, eldeſt ſon and aire to vmqll. James Grhā, burges of Glaſgw, in pñs of Hector Steward, and Johne Grhame baillies, wes maid burges and fremā of þe burt. and citie of Glaſgw, as burges air; and gave his ayt. of fidelitie to þe toun, and for obſũatioun of þe ſtatuts þrof. Soũtie for his fynes, Gawin Grhā.

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The Namys of þe Counſale for þis ȝeir to cum, choſin and electit be Hector Steward and Johne Grhame, baillies.

Dauid Lyndſaye, eldare,
Johne Stewarde of Bowhous,
Johne Grhame, eldare,
Malcolme Steward,
Gawane Grhame,
Johne Wyſe,
Robert Mure,
Dauid Wilſoun,
Colene Campbell,
Williame Trūmble,
Convell Struþeris,
Johne Schelis, ſkippar,
Johne Ferquhare,
George Herbertſoun,
Johne Stewarde, ȝoungare,
Maiſter Adame Walles,
Archibald Lioun,
Andro Baillie,
David Hall,
Robert Flemyng,
James Blakburne,
James Lyoun,
James Riche,
Nichol Andro,
Thomas Pettigrew,
Patrik Graye,
Niniane Darrocht,
Robert Adame, The^r.,
James Braidwod,
Johne M^r., fleſcho^r..

FFICIARES.

The baillies and counſale continewit þe foure offi^rs, for þe ȝeir to cum, w^t ſick conditiones as of befoir, and ordains þā to fynd new cautionars.

Richart Tod, ſoũtie for him, Dauid Donald,
Robert Lettrik, ſoũtie for him, John Clerk, tailȝor,
Andro Anderſone, ſoũtie for him, James Bowe,
Johne Pawtoun, ſoũtie for him.

Lynaris new maid for þis ȝeir to cum.

Gawane Grhame,
Dauid Hall,
Robert Mure,
James Wilſoune, maſone,
James Riche,
Niniane Darrocht.

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ELPHINSTOUN.

The quhilk daye, comperit George Elphinftoun, and proteftit, þat quhatſumeuer þing beis done in chefing of counſale or officiaris, or ony wþeris, by þame, ellis chofin, and maid of befoir, preiuge nocht þe libertie of þe toun; and als, þe ſaid George for himſelf, and in name of þe reft of þe auld baillies, pteftit alſua þt. þr. new chefing preiuge not. þame, becaus þai wer not. requirit nor ſutit þairto, conforme to þe vſe and libertie of þe toun, in all tymes bypaft, and þairvpone aſkit inftrumentis, in pñs of þe new baillies and counſale.

Keiparis of þe keyis new maid.

Gawane Grhame, keipar of þe vter dur key,
Archibald Lyone, ane of þe keyis of þe litle kift,
Andro Baillie, keipar of þe wþr. þrof,
Niniane Darrot., ane of þe keyis of þe mekle ſchryne,
George Herbertſone, keipar of þe wþr. þrof,
Dauid Hall, keipar of þe key of þe hyngand lok of þe ſchryne,
Robert Mure, keipar of þe key of þe litle box.

Comone Procurator.,
Maifter Adame Wallace,

Wattir baillie, newlie electit, and continewit,
Maifter William Logane.

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APPENDIX.

NIVERSIS et singulis in Christo fidelibus ad quorum notitiam præsentes literæ pervenerint, et quos infrascriptum tangit negotium, seu quorum imposterum quovismodo interesse poterit; Joannes Steward de Mynto miles præpositus burgi et civitatis Glasguensis, magister Adamus Wallace, Archibaldus Lyonne et Georgius Elphinstoune ballivi, ceterique a consiliis civitatis, totaque urbis nostræ et burgi Glasguensis commnnitas, Salutem in eo qui est omnium vera salus: Quum nos inter alia civitatis nostræ detrimenta atque incommoda scolas nostras atque Gymnasia omnino perire animadvertimus adolescentiamque nostram quæ prius vitæ ac morum probitate informabatur otio ignavia lasciviaque torpescere huic rei pro munere nobis credito remedium adferre ex intimis animi penetralibus studentes pædagogium nostrum Glasguense quod præ sumptuum inopia pene corruerat et in quo disciplinarum studia præ nimia paupertate extincta jacebant renovare restaurare dotare in novamque fundationem erigere volumus; Indecorum quippe imo indignum rati in tanta evangelii luce quæ jam passim circumfulget scolas ecclesiæ totiusque reipublicæ seminaria contemni ac negligi operam dedimus quanta a nobis diligentia fieri potuit ut in hac saltem academia bonarum artium studia reviviscerent pristinumque decus ac gloriam tuerentur: Inde enim brevi futurum speramus ut mater hæc nostra universitas invictissimos athletas et Christianæ fidei pugiles fortissimos producat ex eaque tanquam ex equo Trojano ad omnia reipublicæ munia subeundo peritissimi exercitatissimique adolescentes prosiliant. Noveritis igitur nos (quod felix nobis faustumque ac toti reipublicæ sit) præmissa tanquam opus memoratu dignum diligenti meditatione præponderantes et assidua frequentique adhortatione suasu consilio et auxilio viri multum colendi magistri Andreæ Hay Rectoris ecclesiæ de Ranfrew vice superintendentis Rectorisque pro tempore Universitatis nostræ Glasguensis hujusmodi Collegium dotare fundare et erigere modo forma et conditionibus subsequentibus eaque occasione dedisse concessisse annexasse incorporasse et univisse, ac pro nobis et successoribus nostris disposuisse et

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confirmasse prout per præsentes damus annectimus incorporamus et pro perpetuo unimus ac pro nobis et successoribus nostris disponimus et confirmamus omnes et singulas terras tenementa domus ædificia ecclesias capellas hortos pomeria croftas annuos reditus fructus divoria proficua et emolumenta firmas lie obite-silver et anniversaria quæcunque quæ quovis modo pertinuerunt aut pertinere dignoscuntur ad quascunque capellas alteragia præbendarias in quacunque Ecclesia aut Collegio intra nostram civitatem Glasguensem fundata seu fundatas aut loca fratrum omnium nostræ civitatis una cum omnibus et singulis terris domibus et tenementis ac annuis reditibus de quibuscunque terris domibus ac tenementis intra dictam nostram civitatem seu extra eandem nobis pertinentibus aut spectantibus aut levari seu percipi solitis et consuetis juxta et secundum tenorem et formam infeofamenti nobis desuper facti et concessi per Mariam Reginam matrem supremi domini nostri Regis sub ejus magno segillo de data apud Edinburgh diei decimi sexti mensis Martii annique Domini millessimi quingentesimi sexagesimi sexti et regni sui anni vigesimi quinti prædicto nostro Collegio ac Regentibus ac studentibus infra nominatis in eodem residentibus ad illorum honestam et commodam sustentationem temporibus futuris ad numerum quindecim personarum Quarum primus Professor erit Theologiæ in eaque facultate graviter et strenue exercitatus vocabiturque Collegii præfectus seu præpositus duo insuper alii erunt Regentes Dialecticæ Physices Ethices Politices atque adeo totius Philosophiæ Didascali et Præceptores duodecim præterea erint studentes pauperes apti ad literas et philosophiam capessendam quibus neque parentes præ inopia neque ipsi pro angustia patrimonii subvenire ac sumptum suppeditare possint Pro sustentatione vero et victu quotidiano dictarum quindecim personarum et servitorum communium ad communes Collegii usus inservientium omnes et singuli annui redditus proventus emolumenta firmæ et proficua capellaniarum præbendarum altarium præscriptarum nobis virtute dicti infeofamenti serenissimæ dominæ nostræ Reginæ pertinentes una cum fructibus redditibus proventibus custumis et aliis emolumentis quibuscunque dicto nostro Collegio ac Pedagogio prius solvi solitis et consuetis levabuntur et percipientur Una cum potestate dictis Præposito et duobus Regentibus et ipsorum successoribus per seipsos aut ipsorum provisorem aut collectorem seu officiarios quos suo nomine constituent præfatos annuos redditus fructus firmas devoria proficua et emolumenta quæcunque perpetuis futuris temporibus levandi et percipiendi ubicunque prius levari et percipi solebant aut in futurum percipi aut levari poterint virtute donationis prædictæ Munus autem ipsius Præpositi, una cum iis quæ ad eum ex Collegio pertinebant commoda pro toto vitæ ejus tempore durare volumus nisi ejusmodi flagitiis se contaminaverit aut alias ineptum se reddiderit ut deponi et abdicari officio mereatur Quo casu iis jus deponendi concedimus qui et facultatem habent eligendi, Cancellario nimirum Rectori Universitatis Facultatis Decano et Decano Rectori de Hamilton Rectorique ecclesiæ de Glasguensis si verbi ministerio hi duo ultimi functi fuerint Regentes vero sexto

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quoque anno hoc est cum duas in curriculo classes absolverint Præpositi Rectoris Academiæ et Decani Facultatis arbitrio removere poterint Præsertim si eos tædere laboris cœperit neque satis diligenter suo muneri incumbant Quod si quid intra hæc annorum spatia admiserint officio indignum penes eosdem judicium esto vel corrigendi vel si ita facto est opus abdicandi officio Aliæ vero duodecim pauperum personæ in esculentis potulentis Collegii cameris ac cubiculis reliquisque (ut vocant) asiamentis debite provideantur et sustententur pro spatio trium annorum cum dimidio duntaxat quod tempus ad lauream magistralem acquirendam in Artium Facultate secundum Facultatis ipsius statuta idoneum esse judicamus, neque ulli pauperum studentium permittimus ejus temporis prorogationem Sed eo exacto removeri a bursis suis debebunt ut alii idonei ac habiles eorum loco substituantur Insuper volumus quod ipse Præpositus Collegii per singulos hebdomadæ dies sacris libris publice legendis et interpretandis in Collegii Cathedra exerceatur Regentes autem Dialecticæ, Logicæ, Physicæ, Moralis Philosophiæ, Metaphysicæque præceptis edocendis sedulo incumbant, atque in horas pene operam navent pro classium varietate Collegii statutis et Præpositi voluntate Ut autem præfati Præpositus et Regentes majori alacritate et cura incitentur ad officia sua peragenda animentur atque inflammentur præter ea victus commoda de quibus supra sallarii loco vel honorarii Præposito Collegii vicariatum de Colmonel attribuimus ac assignamus cujus reditus ipse percipiet vocabiturque ejus loci vicarius præter ejus quoque decimas et fructus annuatim ad quadraginta marcas extendentes percipiet ex primis Collegii reditibus marcas viginti quas illi Domus Procurator aut Collector quotannis appendet ac annumerabit Quilibet etiam duorum Regentium ad vestitum extraordinariasque impensas percipiet in annos singulos libras viginti probæ pecuniæ ad duos anni terminos Pentecostes videlicet et Divi Martini in hyeme per æquales portiones ex Collegii ipsius proventu ac reditibus per domus Provisorem seu Collectorem persolvendas Vetamus autem et severissime inhibemus ne ullatenus Præposito dicti Collegii liceat alibi quam intra Collegii mœnia residere Quod si minus id præstiterit atque alibi quam in dicto Collegio remanere ac residere cœperit ipso facto munus atque officium ejus vacare volumus ac declaramus aliumque idoneum ejus loco ab iis constitui quibus jus et facultas ut sequitur eligendi tributa est Regentes quoque in labore assiduos esse volumus ut si ad beneficium aliquod extra Gymnasium promoti fuerint munusque docendæ plebis aliudve susceperint negotiisque se aliis involvant quibus a docendæ juventutis cura distrahuntur minime liceat Collegii emolumentis et commodis gaudere sed exauctorari et deponi volumus Rectoris Decani Facultatis et Præpositi authoritate Ita tamen ut prædictos Regentes astrictos velimus alternatis vicibus ad precum lectionem in ea quæ nunc est proxima Collegio Ecclesia olimque fratrum prædicatorum vocabatur pro eorum arbitrio qui in senatu ecclesiastico morum censuram gerunt senioresque vocari solent quorum etiam arbitratu curabunt ex pauperibus studentibus singulos vice sua campanæ signum ex campanili dare ut studiosi

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adolescentes una cum populo ad preces audiendas convocentur et horologii curam gerant si quod illic a civitate collocatum fuerit Ipsius autem Præfecti præsentationem admissionem et provisionem ad Academiæ cancellarium superintendentem aut ejus vicegerentem Universitatis Rectorem Decanum Facultatis Decanum Rectorem ecclesiæ de Hamilton Rectorem ecclesiæ Glasguensis modo verbi Dei hi duo ultimi sint præcones volumus pertinere ita quod si contigerit Præfecturæ locum vacare aut per deprivationem mortem aut dimissionem Præfecti duo Regentes edicto dierum quindecim supradictas quinque personas publice admonebunt ut eligendo Præposito adsint Qui tactis sacro sanctis evangeliis et sacramento in manu Cancellarii Universitatis Superintendentis aut Vicegerentis præstito jurabunt ejusmodi se virum electuros cui pietas et Christiana religio curæ sit quique felicissime ac dexterrime Gymnasiarchæ officio sit functurus Quicunque autem eorum suffragiis præpositus declaratus fuerit is præfectura potiatur Verum si supradictæ personæ edicto accersitæ non comparuerint venireque neglexerint ut de præposito intra mensem non providerint Eo casu jus eligendi omne Præpositi ad Rectorem ejusque assessores quos deputatos vocant Universitatis in solidum ea vice pertinebit Regentium vero electionem præsentationem admissionem et provisionem penes Academiæ Rectorem Præfectum Collegii et Facultatis Decanum constituimus Cæterorum vero duodecim Scolarium pauperum præsentationem et nominationem nobis ballivis et senatui sive consulibus dictæ nostræ civitatis et successoribus nostris pro tempore existen. reservamus Admissionem vero et receptionem eorundem scolarium Præposito ipsius Collegii et Regentibus concedimus Proviso tamen si post mensem quo bursa vacaverit a nobis ballivis et senatu Glasguensi pro tempore existenti nemo idoneus scolaris Præfecto Collegii et Regentibus oblatus fuerit eo duntaxat casu jus patronatus bursæ illius ad Rectorem Academiæ Decanum Facultatis et Collegii Præpositum pro eo tantum tempore et vice devolvatur, eandemque habeant potestatem quam nos habuissemus si in tempore præsentassemus pro illa duntaxat vice Pauperes autem hos duodecim scolares ex filiis burgensium burgi de Glasgw assumi eligi ac nominari volumus, sic institutos in Re Grammatica ut Philosophiæ idonei auditores esse possint, recteque loquendi et scribendi peritiam teneant Quod si ex his filiis burgensium de Glasgw idonei inveniri non possunt nominandi erunt nostro arbitratu alii prædictis facultatibus instituti idque intra mensem postquam vacare contigerit ut prædictum est Ordinamus insuper omnes dicti Collegii personas honesti vivere ut bonos et pios viros decet, neque scortentur neque vagentur noctu neque offendiculo sint civitati quod si præceptorum vita castitatis non sit capax, neque continere se possint, ducant in Domino uxores quas tamen intra Collegii septa retinere non liceat Adhæc quindecim supradictas et fundatas personas collegialiter vivere volumus simul vesci, dormire intra septa Gymnasii unumque dictorum duodecim scolarium per hebdomadas mutuas janitoris vice fungi eaque septimana bibliorum sit in aula publica lector habeatque brevem die sabbatino et publicam a cœna orationem claves autem deferat sero ad Collegii Præpositum aut priori Regentium brumali tempes-

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tati Collegii fores non ante quintam matutinam reserendas octava vero vespertina claudendas curabit Æstivo autem tempore janua patebit non ante quartam mane neque vesperi post decimam Præterea dictum Collegium ac quindecim personas eisque servientes aliosque omnes qui illic studiorum causa degere dignoscentur ab omni jurisdictione ordinaria necnon ab omnibus custumis ac actionibus pedagiis intra civitatem nostram Glasguensem impositis aut imponendis pro nobis et successoribus nostris liberos et exemptos esse nunc et in perpetuum volumus et declaramus Statuentes insuper et ordinantes quod præfatum Collegium in omnibus et singulis suis ædificiis et domibus de communibus sumptibus ejusdem sustentetur et reparetur ac omnia et singula ad ipsius Collegii usus spectantia ex ipsius Collegii reditibus et impensa sarciantur et emendentur Item volumus et ordinamus Rectorem Universitatis Decanum Facultatis una cum Ballivis dictæ nostræ civitatis Glasguensis pro tempore existentibus bis in singulos annos calendis videlicet Martii et calendis Septembris dictum nostrum Collegium visitare tam in capite quam in membris ut si qua in re (quod absit) ab officio deflexerint visitatorum opera et authoritate corrigi ut in viam redire queant aut si rebelles fuerint functione privari possunt Ibique vero visitatores provideant ne bona Collegii in pios usus a nobis concessa eorum luxu abusu atque inertia dilapidentur alienentur oppignorentur Ad hæc præfati visitatores rationibus Collegii audiendis præfatis binis temporibus operam dent ut omnia bona fide ac secundum nostram dispositionem collacata esse videant nihilque fraude a præceptoribus et domus procuratore administrari Subductoque calculo si quid ex reditibus Gymnasii residui fuerit id omne in maximos necessarios Gymnasii usus Collegiique reparationem visitatorum arbitrio et Collegii Præpositi consilio impendatur Et quia (Deo bene juvante) ut speramus fructus proventus et emolumenta nostri Collegii accrescent et augebuntur volumus quod personis quindecim prædictis sufficienter, sustentatis si quid præterea virtute donationis nostræ Collegii reditibus accesserit id studentibus et scolaribus pauperibus duodecim prædictis a nobis adjungendis ad eorum victum et necessarios usus tribuatur aut pluribus regentibus et præceptoribus fundandis si ita res Collegii postulaverit Rectorque Accademiæ Decanus Facultatis et Collegii Præpositus cum Ballivorum consilio necessarium esse provideant quorum præsentatio et admissio ejusdem juris sunto cum iis qui præcesserint Insuper dictas quatuordecim personas videlicet duodecim pauperes scolares duosque Regentes studentesque omnes qui in Collegio literis operam navant prædicto eorum Præposito in omnibus et singulis quæ ad mores et disciplinam spectant subjectos esse volumus, eique in eosdem esse jurisdictionem committimus ordinariam Statuimus præterea ut nemo in studentium album in prædicto nostro Collegio recipiatur qui puram et sinceram fidei et religionis confessionem prius coram Præposito et Regentibus non ediderit eam nimirum quæ a serenissimo domino nostro rege Jacobo sexto moderno in actis Parliamenti præscripta et confirmata est Adhæc jurejurando affirmabunt se omnia Gymnasii statuta inviolabiliter servaturos et Collegii commodum ac utilitatem ad quamcunque vitæ con-

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ditionem seu statum pervenerint pro virili procuraturos Proviso tamen quod præsens nostra donationis et fundationis litera nullatenus præjudicabit nobis aut successoribus nostris quin poterimus in futurum libere disponere et conferre illas capellanias et præbendarias intra dictam civitatem fundatas nobis ex antiquo ante prædictam donationem supremæ dominæ nostræ Reginæ ratione nostri jurispatronatus laicalis spectantes scolaribus filiis nostrorum comburgensium pro eorum supportatione et sustentatione in scolis infra dictam civitatem ac non alias tribuen. secundum tenorem acti Parliamenti Et quod ipsæ præbendæ et capellaniæ ac donationes earundem per nos ipsis scolaribus conferendæ cum ipsarum fructibus sint liberæ et immunes a solutione cujuscunque tertiæ partis fructuum earundem quæ ab eis quovismodo exigi poterunt Ad hæc volumus et ordinamus capellaniam (dictam Omnium Sanctorum) per nos Magistro Scolæ Grammaticalis dictæ nostræ civitatis alias concessam cum fructibus ejusdem cum eodem magistro Scolæ Grammaticalis et suis successoribus, præceptoribus pro tempore pro perpetuo liberum esse a solutione alicujus tertiæ partis fructuum ejusdem remanere et ipsis reservari in futurum. In cujus rei testimonium præsentibus manibus nostris atque nostri communis scribæ ut infra subscriptis, sigillum nostrum commune præsentibus est appensum apud nostram civitatem Glasguensem die octavo mensis Januarii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo septuagesimo secundo.

Sic Subscribitur.

John Grahame;	John Stewart of Mynto, Knycht, Provest;
Johne Boyd;	Maister Adam Wallace, Baillie;
David Lyoune;	George Elphinston, Baillie;
Michell Baird, Comoun pror.	Archibald Lyoune, Baillie;
Wm. Maxwell;	James Fleming;
John Woddrop;	Johne Wilson;
Matthow Wilson;	William Donaldson;
William Hiegait, with my hand;	Thomas Normount.

Ita est Henricus Gibson, Notarius ac Scriba Curiæ burgalis civitatis Glasguen. de mandatis Consulum et Decanorum artium mechanicarum ejusdem civitatis communitatem ipsius repræsentantium, et scribere nescientium, manu propria.

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"Sigillvm
JOCELINI
Glasgvensis
Episcopi"

Elected 1174
Died at Melrose.
1199

"Counter
Seal of
JOCELINE

✠ *Ora pro nobis*
beate Kentigerne"

"Sigill
FLORENTIUS
Glasgvensis
Electi"

Elected, 1202
Died, 1207

"Sigill
WALTERI
Dei: Gra:
Glasgvensis Epi."

Elected 1208
Died 1232

"S^t
JOHIS
Dei: Gra:
Epi. Glas"

Elected 1260
Died
1268

"S^m
ROBERTI WISCHARD
Dei: Gra:
Episcopi Glasgvensis"
✠"

Elected 1272
Died 1316

Counter Seal
of
ROBERT WISCHARD

"*Rex. Furit: Hec:*
Florat: Pater aurum.
Dum: Sacer: orat"

1272.
1316.

"S' ROBERTI:
Dei: Gratia: Epi:
Glasgvensis."

1272 ..... *1316*

"*Sigillum*
JOHANNIS DEI: GRA:
Glasgvensis"

JOHN LINDSAY
Elected 1325
Died 1335

"*Sigillum*
ANDREE EPI
Glasgvensis"

ANDREW MURHEAD
Elected 1355.
Died 1374.

Sigillum
COMVNE DE
Glagu

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HE Seals which belonged to the See and the City of Glasgow, referred to in page 15, of the Prefatory Notice, of which casts have been procured, are as follows:

1st. The Seal of Joceline, Bishop of Glasgow, elected 1174, died at Melrose 1199. "This Bishop is said to have enlarged the Cathedral of Glasgow, and to have rebuilt it in the state it continues to be at this day, and dedicated it *pridie Nonas Julii, anno* 1197, in the 24th year of his Episcopate. [Chron. Melr.]" Keith's Catalogue. He gave the Churches of Rutherglen, Cathcart, and Mearns, to the Monastery of Paisley. The inscription on the Seal is, "Sigillvm Jocelini Glasgvensis Episcopi."

2d. The Counter Seal of the same prelate, with the legend: "Ora pro nobis beate Kentegerne."

3d. The Seal of Florentius, Elect of Glasgow, 1202, died 1207, the inscription on which is, "Sigill. Florentii Glasgvensis Electi."

4th. Seal of Walter, Bishop of Glasgow, consecrated 2d Nov., 1208, died in 1232. Inscription, "Sigill. Walteri Dei Gra. Glasgvensis Epi."

5th. Of the Seal of William, Bishop of Glasgow, no cast has been preserved; but in the Cartulary of Glasgow, Vol. i. p. 218, there is, attached to a charter granted by him to the Chapter and Church of Glasgow, dated 5th April, 1258, the following description of it: "Huic cartæ appensum est sigillum ex cera alba integrum exhibens, ex vna parte, Episcopum veteri mitrâ et casulâ indutum ad levam conversum, sinistra Baculum pastorale tenentem, elevatâ dextrâ benedicentem, inscrip^{t} in circ." "Sigillum Willelmi Dei Gratia Glasg. Episcopi." Ex altera vera item Epum. eodem habitu Benedicentem Episcopo Pontificalibus vet. more induto coram eo manibus junctis genuflexo. Inscriptum in circ. "Ora pro nobis Beate Kentegerne." And the copyist subjoins the following remark: "Nec vsquam hoc in sigillo (quorum omnium quæ vidi integra vetsutissimum est) vestigium piscis annuli, aut avis."

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6th. Is the Seal of John, Bishop of Glasgow, consecrated 1260, died 28th May, 1268. The inscription, "S. Johis Dei Gra. Epi. Glasgvensis."

7th. To a Charter, "Roberti de Lanark qua dat annuatim Deacono et Subdeaconi vicariis Ecclesiæ Glasgvensis domum cum crofto. 1270." There is subjoined the following description of the Seal appended to it: "Huic cartæ appensum est sigillum multum attritum exhibens Epûm. Pontificalibus indutum cuidam celeris, vt videtur, coram se genuflexo benedicentem, et in circumferentia "Ora pro nobis Kentegerne."—*Cart. Glasg., p.* 243.

8th. The next Seal is that of Robert Wischard, Bishop of Glasgow, elected 1272, died 1316, the inscription, "S^m. Roberti Wischard, Dei Gra. Episcopi Glasgvensis."

9th. The Counter Seal of the same prelate. On it, for the first time we are presented with the fish and the ring alluded to in the legendary story of the miracle of St. Kentegern, which is thus detailed by Spottiswood: "They report of him, that a Lady of good place in the countrey having lost a ring, which her husband gave her, as she crossed the river of *Cluyd*, and her husband waxing jealous, as if she had bestowed the same upon one of her lovers, she did mean herself unto him, intreating his help for the safety of her honour; and that he going to the river, after he had used his devotion, willed one who was making to fish, to bring him the first that he caught; which was done; in the mouth of that fish he found the ring, and sending it to the Lady, she was thereby freed of her husband's suspicion. The credit of this I believe upon the reporters; but howsoever it be, the See and City do both of them wear in their Armes a fish with a ring in the mouth even to this day." Appended to the copy of a Charter in the Cartulary of Glasgow, Vol. I. p. 273, occurs the following description of the above Seal: "Huic cartæ appensum e. sigillum ex cera alba integrum ex una parte Episcopum veteri casulâ indutum cum baculo et mitrâ, hinc inde, piscem, et avem, et in circumferentia inscriptum, S^M. ROBERTI DEI GRATIA EPISCOPI GLASGVENSIS. Ex altera vero parte, triplici distincta segmine, in superiore Epûm. sedentem et coram eo quemdam genuflexum pisciculum cum annulo in ore manu tenentem, medio segmine, Regem stantem gladium strictum dextrâ tenentem, a sinistris, Reginam coronatam dextrâ annulum tenentem. In inferiore segmine Epûm. genuflexum supplicantem et habitu pontificali indutum, inscriptum in circumferentia: REX FURIT, HÆC PLORAT, PATET AURUM, DÛM SACER ORAT. Alterum sigillum quod erat huic cartæ appensum amissum est."

How the tree found its way into the Arms of the Chapter or of the City, unless in

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Counter Seal.

Inner Ring "Kenteg'nvs Sanctus"

Outer Ring "Kentegerne Tvos Benedice

Pater alme ministros."

Sigillum

Gavini

ARCHIEPI

Glasgvensis

Elected 1522

Died 1547

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reference to some legend connected with St. Kentegern, I have been unable to discover. At an early period there seems, from the following entry at p. 13 of this volume, to have been a tree named after the Saint, the precise locality of which is not ascertained. The allusion to it is as follows: "Item ane uder march stane tane away at the nuik of Cayttis dyik betwix and Sanct Mungois tre."

10th. Seal of John, Bishop of Glasgow, elected 1325, died 1335. The inscription: "Sigillum Johannis Dei Gra. Glasgvensis." This Bishop lost his Seal, and in an instrument made thereupon, A. D. 23d April, 1325, which is inserted in the Cartulary of Glasgow, a description is given of it. It had the fish, ring, and bird, with a figure of St. Kentegern.

11th. Seal of Andrew Muirhead, Bishop of Glasgow, elected 1455, died 1474, is given from a Charter, dated 1465. The inscription: "Sigillvm Andreæ Epi. Glasgvensis."

12th. Seal of Gavin Dunbar, Archbishop of Glasgow, elected 1522, died 1547. The inscription: "Sigillum Gavini Archiepi Glasgvensis."

13th. In the Glasgow Cartulary there is a Charter, "Olivieri et Ricardi Præpositorum Burgi de Glasg. de fundatione facta per Eduardum in Luminare Sanctæ Mariæ Ecclesiæ. Glasg. 1293." The copyist observes, "Sigillum officialitatis Glasg. eidem est appensum. Exhibet superius caput Episcopi et inferius tintinnabulum." *p.* 28.

14th. A Charter "Roberti de Mythyngby de Venditione terræ suæ Magistro Reginaldo de Trewyn archideacono Glasg." has appended to it the Common Seal of Glasgow, of white wax, "exhibens caput Epi. cum mitrâ." *Cart. Glasg. p.* 244.

15th. In the Cartulary of Glasgow, Vol. I. p. 496, in a Decreet of the Chapter of the Church of Glasgow, "de Jure patronatus Ecclesie vicar de Stobou," 27th May, 1425, the following description is given of the Seal of the Chapter, a cast of which is among the present collection: "Huic cartæ appensum est sigillum commvne Capituli Glasg^cis. exhibens ex vna parte superioris stantem Kentegernum pectore tenus pontificali habitu elevata dextra benedicentem, medium inter duas cruces pyramydales, inferius, vero tres (forte canonicos) genuflexos manibus junctis supplicantes, in circumferentia autem infra limbum inscript. "Sanctus Kentegernus." Extra limbum vero inscript. "Kentegerne, tuos, Benedie, Pater alme, ministros." Ex altera vero parte, exhibit su-

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perius typum templi cum campanili pyramidi in medio ; hinc inde, super cellum templum ex utroque latere campaniles lunam crescentem et stellulam. Inferius autem exhibet mensam (forte altare) super qua positum est vasculum quoddam (forte calix ex quo eminet, Imago Christi veluti resurgentis) hinc inde ex utraque parte mensæ, duos (forte canonicos) stantes, manibus junctis ad mensam conversos, et in circumferentia inscript. S. Capituli Ecclesie Glasgvensis.

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